

This Week

Weekly Price Guide

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Space Ghost Evanier to write, Rude to draw TV series star for Comico

Space Ghost, star of a series of Hanna-Barbera animated programs, will be revived in a special comics novel planned for a 1987 release, Comico Administrative Director Bob Schreck announced.

Space Ghost will be written by Mark (DNAgents) Evanier and will feature the artwork of Steve (Nexus) Rude, who will serve as penciller and co-plotter. Ken Steacy will provide the colored color for the book.

For Rude, the project represents the fulfillment of a life-long dream. "I was born to do it," Rude recalled.

menting, recalling how he developed a great fondness for the character when he first saw him on television. "The show was the perfect vehicle for my imagination," he said.

Rude said that the Special "will look as much like the show as possible." He plans to present a large-scale adventure involving numerous villains and locales.

Evanier is no stranger to characters like Space Ghost either, having written TV cartoon series like *Scooby Doo* and *Yogi Bear* for Hanna-Barbera and other animation and live action studios for several years.

"This is a labor of love," Evanier said. "Anyone who knows Steve Rude knows how devoted he has been to *Space Ghost*."

He recalled a recent meeting over lunch between Gary Owens (the television voice of Space Ghost), Rude, and himself. "It was a double thrill," Evanier said. "Steve was thrilled to meet the vocal chords behind his favorite character, while Gary was thrilled that the cartoon he did in the '60s had so inspired such a fine and dedicated artist."

Colorist Steacy has produced artwork for *Robotech* and *Jonny Quest*, as well as an Iron Man story which appeared in *Marvel Fanfare*.

Space Ghost premiered on television in September of 1966. The space-based adventurer traversed the galaxy with his youthful companions Jan and Jace, and his pet monkey Blip, all of whom will appear in the new comics novel.

Schreck said he felt the enormous public acceptance of Comico's *Jonny Quest* series proved that comic readers were receptive to new interpretations of familiar, beloved animated characters.

Space Ghost will be a 48-page, square-bound deluxe edition printed in full color. The book will be released sometime in 1987.

First on 'Today'

First Comics Publisher Rick Obadiah was to fly to New York to tape an appearance on the NBC-TV morning show *Today* on Sept. 24.

The four-minute segment was to air within four working days, probably on Sept. 25 or 26. Obadiah was to talk about First Comics in general and First's graphic novels in particular.



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PERSONALS

HELP ME bring back Ambush Bug! Write to: DC Comics, 666 5th Ave., New York, NY 10103. Let's bring our fun big green bug back.



DESTROY copyright and TM 1986 Scott McCloud

Destroy 'World's loudest comic book' features meaningless violence

Zot! creator Scott McCloud has written and drawn *Destroy*, a one-shot which he calls "the loudest comic book in the Universe!"

"I'm getting it out of my system," McCloud said, "This is definitely a one-shot — I won't do a sequel, no matter how many people beg me to."

"It all began with Marvel's graphic novel *Super Boxers*," McCloud said. "All the critics really tore into it, especially Cat Yronwode, who called it pure senseless violence. Not yet having read it myself, I was sure the

reviewers must have missed the point — pure, senseless violence — what a great idea for a comic book! When I finally got a copy of it, however, I was disappointed to find that the violence was neither pure nor senseless. The book was filled with such extraneous elements as plot and characterization. Well, you won't find any of that in *Destroy*."

The cover of *Destroy* carries an advisory which reads: "Parents Beware! This comic book is exactly what you think it is: 32 (DESTROY, Page 3)

'John Elgin Johnson' Arkansas brothers indicted for mail fraud over CBG ad

Postal Inspector Keith Beaty called *CBG* to announce the indictment for mail fraud in Little Rock, Ark., of two brothers who had advertised in *CBG* under the name of John Elgin Johnson.

"On Sept. 15," Beaty said, "Clinton Richard Shelton Jr. and Edwin Owen Shelton were

indicted on 15 counts of mail fraud and one count of using a fictitious name in promoting mail fraud.

"Clinton was also indicted on two counts of being a felon in possession of firearms. Edwin was also indicted on two counts of perjury before a federal grand jury.

"Both of them had operated under the name 'John Elgin Johnson.'"

In response to complaints from customers of the fictitious "Johnson," *CBG* personnel had acted with postal inspectors to identify the problem. An advertisement from "Johnson" had appeared in *CBG* for Jan. 17, 1986.

"Clinton is currently in prison in Salisbury, N.C., serving a 10-year sentence for first-degree sexual battery of a 10-year-old girl," Beaty told *CBG*. "An arrest warrant has been issued for Edwin."

"Once he's arrested, he'll be arraigned before a magistrate and can enter a plea."

\$35,000 in hundreds 9 'Marvel Mystery' issues sold

"It was \$35,000 cash, all in crisp hundreds — which I saw," Gerry Ross told *CBG* in a phone interview.

He was speaking of the sale of nine "Larson" issues of *Marvel Mystery* to Florida collector Vince Oliva.

"They were #1-#7, #14, and #22 — and a non-Larson #12 was thrown in. They were not my comics, and the seller prefers to remain anonymous."

"Both seller and buyer were American, but the sale occurred here, in beautiful Montreal. I only got a small commission, but I got good publicity for my store," Ross said.

The "Larson" Golden Age collection is known for its excellent condition — with the exception of the name "Larson," which is written on the cover. Ross said the sale was covered by the press in both Canada and America.

"The books are really quite, quite nice," Oliva told *CBG*. "Just a little flake here and there. But they were proba-

bly never read. They're as perfect as a reasonable person could ask. Number four is the only one with any really noticeable damage — a slight water spotting on the spine."

Milky Way Graphics plans series of parodies

In September, Milky Way Graphics Publications will release *XMen*, the first issue of a series of parody comics featuring fan-favorite titles.

Series writer-editor Bradd Mielke said he is an avid fan of the original *Mad* comics parodies of the 1950s and wanted to try something similar with today's popular titles.

"The obvious choice for our first issue was, of course, *X-Men*, America's favorite comic of the last decade," Mielke said. "Its well-defined, well-loved characters lend themselves perfectly to satire. Former Marvel artist Chas. Truog has done a beautiful job of capturing these characters as well; you can just tell he had a lot of fun drawing this comic."

Mielke emphasized that this book is a one-shot, just as subsequent issues in the series will also be one-shots. "We have no

wish to infringe on the rights of other comic-book companies' most popular characters."

The parody comic books will be priced at \$1.50 with full-color covers and 24 black-and-white interior pages.



Flashback: 30 years ago

Editor Julius Schwartz guides the updating of a Golden Age hero with the introduction of the new Flash in *Showcase* #4, October 1956. Robert Kanigher, Carmine Infantino, and Joe Kubert are the creative team.

—Greg W. Myers



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This very limited-edition comic features a new look at the most exciting elements of Norse mythology. See Loki as the good guy and Thor as the villain! Only 5000 printed with very poor distribution. Second printing will be solicited by distributors in the fall making this limited first a scarce collector's item.

1 (limit 15) 6.00



MAZING MAN #12

Dark Knight cover by Frank Miller! MAZING MAN was cancelled due to poor sales. Legions of collectors purchased DARK KNIGHT. MAZING MAN 12 is a must-have curio for all DK fans! And there can't be many copies to go around.

12 (Last issue — quantities limited)\$1.00



NULL PATROL

1 Science fiction/fantasy/humor adventure comic from a new company — ESCAPE VELOCITY PRESS: black & white with nice color cover. Low print run of approx. 20,000 copies. Distribution was uneven and inadequate in parts of the country. \$1.50 cover price.

**1 Per Copy\$.90
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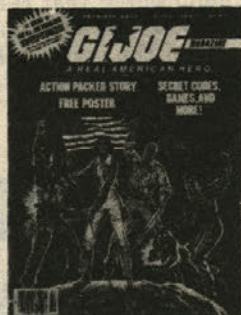
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1 (1st print) limit 5	6.50
1 (2nd)	1.10
3	1.10
3-D 1 (\$2.50 cover)	1.90
AIRBOY	
1, 2	.40
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\$11.95 cover	6.60
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1 low print run of 20,000	.90
50 or more	.80
150 or more	.75
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1 only 5000 printed - limit 20	3.20
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3	1.10
50 or more	.90



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\$1.75 cover 1.40

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GI JOE MAGAZINE
1 Originally distributed mainly on newsstands - very hard to find today. Has full-color story (by Hama), poster insert, games, secret codes, etc. Great item for those legions of GI Joe fans that come into your store daily! (Originally \$1.95)

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GI JOE	
2 (2nd print)	.60
6, 8, 11, 12 (2nd prints)	1.90
26, 27 (2nd print)	.50
50	1.50
Special Missions 1	.90
Special Missions 2	.70
Order of Battle 1 (\$1.25 cover)	1.10
Order of Battle 2	.95



GNATRAT
1 Excellent Parody of Dark Knight. Very humorous — fine art. Highly recommended for all fans of Miller's classic series.

1.95 cover 1.55

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26 Features 8 page Turtle story! First time the Turtles have been in color. By Eastman & Laird. Overstreet comments: "Watch prices on Grimjack #26. This is the first full color Turtles story and could become hot." We agree.

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HE-MAN (MASTERS OF UNIVERSE)

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1 (limit 20)	1.75
2, 3	1.50
LAFFIN GAS	
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1 Excellent new series by Byrne	.75

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2-6	.75
MIAMI VICE	
1 (3rd print)	2.00
2 (1st print)	1.20

MIDNITE SKULKER	
2 ("Duck Knight" parody)	1.10
MIRACLEMAN	
1	.95
2, 3	.40

NEW UNIVERSE	
DP 7, Kickers, Starbrand, Spitfire, Merc, Nightmask, Psi-Force, Justice	
1	.55
50 or more	.50
2	.50

NEXUS GRAPHIC NOVEL	
\$6.95 cover	4.40

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From Arrow Comics. Unique comic about mob violence and political and family intrigue. Low print run.	
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100 or more	.70

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REALM	
Continues to be one of our best-sellers!	
2	4.50
3	1.25

RED FOX	
Low print runs and poor distribution has sent demand for this comic to the stratosphere!	
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4 (print run 17,000)	1.90

RION 2990	
Strong demand on this Japanese-style comic.	
1 (print run only 20,000)	1.20
50 or more	.90
150 or more	.75

SAMURAI	
1 (3rd print - new cover)	1.20
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6, 7, 8, 9	1.10

SEADRAGON	
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SHADOW	
3, 4	1.50

SHURIKEN	
3 Low distribution	1.75
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From Aircel. Stark and his people fight for freedom against a ruthless empire which would enslave them.	
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3	1.00
50 or more	.90

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TALES FROM THE ANIVERSE	
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2, 3	.90
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X-MEN: HEROES FOR HOPE	
1 (\$1.50 cover)	.90
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(Both above are first prints)	
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\$6.95 cover	3.20
20 or more	3.20
Colt #2 Limited edition which contains one-page Turtle pinup by Laird. Very scarce: only 3000 printed	5.00

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\$1.75 cover	.90
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30 or more, any combination	.35

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1	2.00
2	1.20
50 or more	.90
150 or more	.60
3	.90

WHOS WHO	
1-10	.50



STRIKEFORCE: MORITURI	
1	.70

TALES FROM THE ANIVERSE	
1 7500 print run - few left	5.60

X-FACTOR	
1	1.80
2, 3	.90
4-8	.70

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1 (\$1.50 cover)	.90
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More Moore

Titan schedules six collections

Titan Books has announced its Alan Moore Season: Six new compilations of Moore stories to be available from October through December 1986.

The Titan press release said, "For those of you that have been existing in a comic vacuum for the past decade, Alan Moore is the name of the diabolical fiend who has been single-handedly revolutionizing the concept of a comic book. Since his work on DC's *Swamp Thing*... Moore has consistently brought intelligence, wit and realism to such books as *Warrior*, *Watchmen*, and, of course, *2000 AD*."

Titan Books is releasing six large-size, softcover editions of Moore's work. Each edition features an introduction by Moore.

Titan's Alan Moore series starts with the Eagle Award-winning *Ballad of Halo Jones* trilogy.

Said Titan's release, "Books 1-3 follow the extraordinary exploits of a particularly normal woman attempting to cope in a chaotic future brimming with social problems. Ninety-five percent unemployment, segregated cities for the poor, interstellar wars fought mostly by women, and death-defying shopping expeditions are just a few of the nerve-twisting calamities that threaten to shake the interminable cool of Halo Jones." Ian Gibson is the artist on this series.

D.R. and Quinch's Guide to Life, with art by Alan Davis, is the nihilistic adventures of two amoral delinquents.

Moore's *Shocking Futures* and *Twisted Times* are anthologies of his stories from the *2000 AD* series. Dave Gibbons, Kevin O'Neill, and Steve Dillon are

DESTROY

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pages of meaningless, overblown violence, mayhem and destruction! (Plus one Naughty Word.)

"We hasten to point out," said Eclipse Sales Manager Jim Friel, "that *Destroy*, despite the presence of the advisory box on the cover, is no less (or more) suitable reading matter for small children or particularly susceptible adults than is the typical Marvel or DC super-hero comic. Those who dislike comics promoting social or political messages will be gratified to find that *Destroy* does not contain a single idea."

The storyline of *Destroy* concerns two costumed characters who spend 32 pages pounding each other and the surrounding city into oblivion.

Destroy will ship Nov. 10, and will be 11x15", more than twice the size of an ordinary comic. "It's a good way to turn up the volume," said McCloud. "At this size, *Destroy* will blow every other comic out of the room."

The oversize black-and-white edition will be followed in a few months by a regular comic-size 3-D version.

Flashback: 10 years ago

World-wide syndication of Jim Henson's *The Muppet Show* begins in September 1976.

—Greg W. Myers

Good news, bad news

Availability of covers limits print runs

"I seem to be alternating between great successes and shooting myself in the foot," David Anthony Kraft told *CBG* in a phone interview.

"The first problem is that of *Aristocratic Xtraterrestrial Time-Traveling Thieves* from Comics Interview Publications," he said.

He said the print-run for the micro-series, which had been numbered #1, was 36,000. "We've now found that we could have sold twice that," he said. "That issue is gone."

He said the problem is that — owing to the identical title and number of the first issue of the regular series — Diamond and

Capital comic-book distributors did not solicit the shops for orders on the regular series.

"I'd like shops to realize that this is a new title and to be sure they have placed an order for the regular series."

His second problem, he said, came from positive reader response to *CBG*'s coverage of *MICRA*.

"Oh, I'll do a testimonial for *CBG*'s effectiveness," Kraft said. "We printed 57,000-60,000 covers for *MICRA* #1, which ships in September."

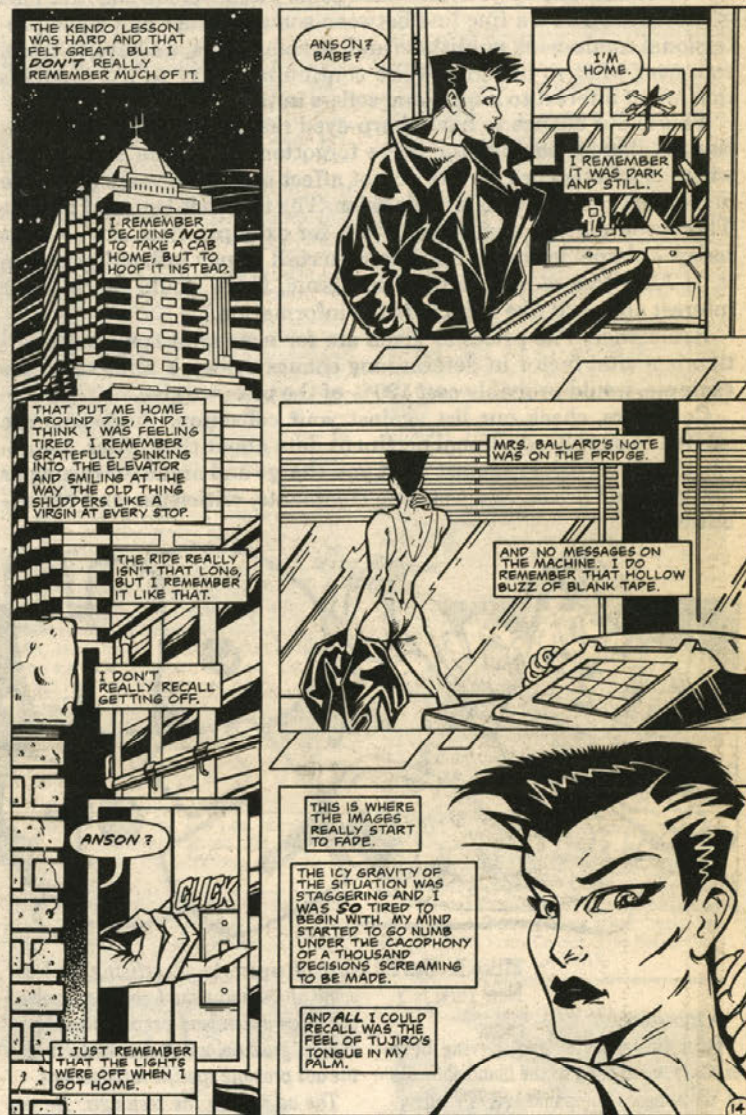
"We figured we'd get orders for about 25,000 copies — and we'd planned to use the remainder of the covers as promotional

inserts. The first such inserts we sent out ran in *CBG*. It was great; we got a lot of attention from it — and from the coverage of the new title."

"We had planned to use more of the covers as similar inserts in other publications. But then the orders started to come in. We have only 30,000 covers left — and more than 25,000 orders right now — thanks in good part to the tremendous response from readers of *CBG*."

"So we've shot ourselves in the foot again. I'm afraid we're not going to have enough copies left to fill the final orders."

'Grendel' #1 preview concludes



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Last week we ran our quarterly "CBG Comics Price Guide." This week we begin our weekly price guide.

With the field as complex and changing as it is, and with so much information needing close attention in a price guide, we've decided a weekly guide can be an all-around boon.

We'll still be running our complete guide on a quarterly basis, but we hope the weekly serialization will enable us to get more information and correct any errors much more efficiently.

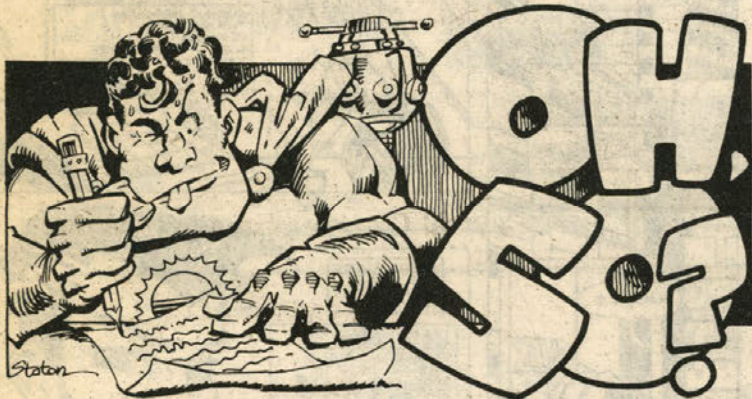
The attentive members of the audience will note that we've already made changes between last week and this. We've continued to get valuable input on the guide. Among others, John J. Pretzer sent us some information we've already begun to incorporate; his data arrived just too late to make it into last week's complete guide.

You'll note that we've even added some publishers to the first part of our list. There's a fine line between some fanzines and some professional comic-book publishers and, in some cases, we have to toss a coin over what to include. We're continuing to try to list products that are of interest to buyers and sellers in the comics field.

This is our chance to have sharp-eyed readers check our information: Is there a contributor we've forgotten? (Note: In some cases, where characters or creators do not affect an issue's value at all, we do not feel compelled to include them. The fact that Don and Maggie Thompson plotted an issue of *Thor*, for example, does not — even today — impel legions of their fans to rush to pay inflated prices on it. If Alan Moore had plotted that issue, there would be collector interest and we'd like to include the information.)

Remember: The prices as given are for near-mint comics. Condition is a vital factor in determining comics values; a mint copy, for example, would probably cost 120% of the price we give.

Collectors, check our list against your collection. Publishers are invited to supply additional pertinent data about their titles. Retailers, check our prices against what you charge and argue for raising or lowering our prices. We welcome comments, criticisms, and contributions.



Mike W. Barr
New York, N.Y.

A true story:

Over two decades ago, having been exposed relentlessly to the blandishments of the tobacco companies via TV advertisements, a friend of mine and I decided to see what this smoking stuff was all about. To this end, I stole a pack of my mother's cigarettes and matches, and we met under a nearby bridge. We opened the pack, inserted the cigarettes at the proper jaunty angle, struck matches, lit, and puffed deeply.

I immediately threw up, and, for the rest of the day, had a throat that felt like an industrial smokestack. Since that day, no advertisement has been able to interest me in smoking, no matter how exultant the music, how beautiful the women, how successful the image of the smoker.

Advertising does not create smokers, individual choice creates smokers.

[In logic, this is a fallacy known as the Hasty Generalization. Advertising did not make smokers of you or your friend; leaping from that particular instance to say that advertising makes smokers of no one is frowned upon by logicians.]

Advertising, in fact, exists solely to affect individual choice. In the specific

case of cigarette advertising, at least some of the individual choices involved are those which lead people to smoke — choices growing out of desires for which the ads promote specific satisfactions.

The ad says to the teen-ager: Do you want to be one of the "fun" crowd? Smoke. Do you want to look like an adult? Smoke. Do you want to have an intimate, romantic moment with a member of the opposite sex? Offer him/her a cigarette. Do you want to look tough? Smoke. Do you want to show you've come a long way, baby? Smoke.

Each ad tries to sway individuals to choose — to smoke. Which is, we assume, why tobacco companies spend so many, many millions of dollars on advertising. They're doing more than trying to get smokers of one brand to try another brand. Obviously, thousands and thousands and thousands of people went through roughly what you went through — and felt enough pressure from something to become smokers anyway.]

Steve Billnitzer

316 Baker #9

Royal Oak, Mich. 48067

I hate to be put in the difficult position of defending smoking, but your remarks



READER JOHN EGAN WANTS TO KNOW WHY THIS FEATURE WAS UNKIND TOWARDS TEENAGE MUTANT NINJA TURTLES RECENTLY. ALLOW ME TO ELABORATE, JOHN:



TEENAGE MUTANT NINJA TURTLES IS POORLY WRITTEN, POORLY DRAWN, AND A TRIUMPH OF MARKETING OVER QUALITY.



I TRUST THIS ELIMINATES YOUR CONFUSION.



THANK YOU FOR WRITING.



in the Aug. 29 *Comics Buyer's Guide* on cigarette ads were so anti-liberty that I am compelled to respond. It is disheartening that two such educated and outspoken opponents of censorship would advocate the prohibition of any form of speech, commercial or otherwise.

The U.S. Constitution correctly recognizes individual liberty as the basis of our social system: the right to live my life as I see fit, as long as I do not violate the equal right of others. Individual rights can be abdicated, violated, and ignored, but they are absolute and, as Jefferson wrote, inalienable.

They include my right to ingest cigarette smoke and your right to decline. And they also include property rights: the right to use my property as I see fit, provided that I don't use it to violate the individual rights of others.

I have no right to trespass your air with my smoke (the air you breathe on your own property or in public places), but I do have a right to smoke (to control my own

body), wherever smoking is permitted by the property owners.

It follows that I also have the right to acquire cigarettes and, consequently, that others may sell them to me. And freedom of speech gives them the right to talk about it: the right to advertise.

The media may deny air time or ad space to an advertiser, but that right accrues to the media — not The Public — by virtue of ownership. That doesn't mean you have to read/watch. You can always turn the page/channel. But you have no right to commandeer a newspaper, radio station or TV station, suppressing ideas or information which you find disagreeable, prohibiting their transmission to others.

If you could indeed suppress print advertising, what medium would be next? Word of mouth? How do you propose to silence human spokesmen?

And if you can suppress one man's message, whose message is immune? And who is to decide what messages are "accept-

able" for me to hear?

Endeavors are also wrong that seek to restrict smoking in restaurants and other "public" places, because restaurants are the property of private citizens — often the property of an individual who has staked the totality of his life's production in an effort to be his own boss. It does not belong to "society." And if such an individual chooses to allow smoking on his property, non-smokers may either accept it or leave. No one is required to patronize restaurants that don't restrict smoking, and restaurants that haven't restricted smoking are losing business. Most are changing their policies voluntarily, without legislation, in response to the preferences of a free market.

Finally, cigarette advertising is nothing like the felony of setting false fire alarms. Cigarette ads promote products that are known to be dangerous, but it is not the ads that cause the cancers and cardiac and respiratory plagues that steal life.

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LETTERS

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And nobody forces smokers to smoke. It is an individual decision, cigarette after cigarette after cigarette, to risk those foul afflictions. Cigarette ads endanger no one,

but ask that you endanger yourself. Setting false fire alarms, on the other hand, subjects other human beings to immediate physical jeopardy.

Having said all that, it may surprise you to learn that I don't smoke. Indeed, I

appreciate your opposition to smoking and your efforts to keep CBG readers informed on health issues. Nonetheless, it is wrong for any group of citizens to seek control, through government or guns, over the peaceful and honest behavior of others.

[Before getting into the involvement of Constitutional rights with the world of advertising, we should address the concept that a smoker affects only himself.

When we lived in an apartment building in Cleveland, we were several times routed from our room at night by fires caused by tenants who smoked in bed and then fell asleep. We were lucky, in that none of those fires produced fatalities. Other tenants of other apartments in other buildings have not always been so fortunate.

In the course of attending conventions around the country, we have also been lucky enough that occasional smokers' fires in our hotels did not result in fatalities. Other tourists in other hotels have not always been so fortunate.

We do not permit smoking anywhere in our home and smoking is permitted only in specific sites at Krause Publications. Yet our home-owner's insurance policy and company health-benefit costs are affected by payments to people whose homes are in greater jeopardy and whose health is in greater jeopardy from smoking.

Smoking is obviously not the only cause of fire, death, and expense to smoker and non-smoker alike. But it is one of the most controllable.

The courts generally agree that advertising is not included in the Constitutional provisions about free speech. You are not allowed, for instance, to make false claims about your product, such as that it will grow hair on billiard balls or cure cancer. In actual practice, of course, advertisers can make and have made false claims for years but, eventually, the Federal Trade Commission (which grinds slowly if not necessarily exceedingly finely) will make them stop.

We speak not only of such demonstrably false and misleading cigarette advertising claims as "Not a cough in a carload" but also of medicinal claims which the FTC has found to be unsubstantiated. Witness such products as Listerine which, in recent years, has toned down its commercials for its mouthwash enormously and no longer claims that gargling with it will prevent colds. Vicks similarly has stopped claiming that smearing Vap-O-Rub on a child's chest will cure the child's cough and switched to saying that the child will feel better because the fact that Mommy cares enough to smear Vap-O-Rub on the kid shows that Mommy loves the kid.

If advertising were the free-speech medium you claim, we would still have the extravagant patent-medicine ads which were prevalent through the early years of this century.

By the same token, a publisher cannot be forced to carry an ad if he does not want to carry it. CBG, like any other publisher, has the right to refuse to carry an ad without having to give a reason for doing so. If this were not the case, CBG could be forced to carry ads by people convicted of mail fraud, *Ebony* could be forced to carry ads for the Ku Klux Klan, and Alcoholics Anonymous newsletters could be required to carry whiskey advertisements.]

Donald D. Markstein
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I was reading the article in your July 25 issue about the return of Harvey Comics, just sort of skimming along and soaking up the information, until I got to the point where one Alice Eigner, their "executive director," claimed that the Harvey characters "are seen by concerned parents as setting good role models for children."

Gack! Role models? The Harvey characters?

Now, I'll grant that Richie Rich, who wallows in inherited wealth, isn't a particularly evil character. There's nothing wrong with being born rich, of course, although he does flaunt it more vulgarly than a proper role model should. Both you've got to wonder about the values of a kid who names his dog "Dollar."

My misgivings about Richie's values were borne out in the title of one of the 30 or 40 ancillary books he had back in the old days. *Richie Rich Success* put across the notion that success in life consists of having a lot of money. Which, in turn, implies that you can be, as Richie

was, born "successful."

Compare this wish-fulfillment fantasy with the other super-rich character in comics, Uncle Scrooge. Scrooge may not have Richie's sunny personality, but he earned every penny of his fortune, and he earned it square! You tell me which is the more wholesome role model for children.

Casper the Friendly Ghost and Wendy the Good Little Witch, who reject the mores of their society, also aren't particularly awful — personally, I approve of youthful rebellion — but I think I'm in the minority, and most parents prefer role models that are more obedient to the senior members of their families.

And then there's Little Dot. Again, she isn't evil or nasty or anything like that — in fact, if a kid like her lived in my neighborhood I'd probably be happy to have my kids play with her. But her obsession regarding objects with dots on them, while not alarming at her age (in real life, she'd probably outgrow it), hardly makes her an acceptable role model.

In Baby Huey, I can't decide which is the worse role model — gross, whiny, obnoxious, spoiled Huey himself, or his wimpy parents, who give him whatever he

wants just to shut him up.

The worst is Little Lotta. This disgusting child eats like a pig — worse than a pig; pigs eat less sugar — and her figure shows it. A typical Little Lotta gag, and I do mean gag, shows her making a sundae that must contain at least six gallons of ice cream, then sitting on a piano stool to eat it so she can adjust it downward as she stuffs her face. (This one came from *Harvey Hits Comics* #1, which hit the stands a couple of weeks ago.)

But, instead of giving her normal attributes associated with obesity, such as shortness of breath, high blood pressure, and early death (which would at least make her a "good" bad example), Lotta's repulsive habits give her super strength! And this leads to enthusiastic acceptance by her peers!

Role model? Not for my kids!

Now, this is mostly minor stuff — I mean, they don't go around setting fire to one another or pushing one another over cliffs (except Buzzy, Katnip, and maybe a couple of others, of course). I'll even go so far as to admit that I considered taking out the paragraph about Casper and

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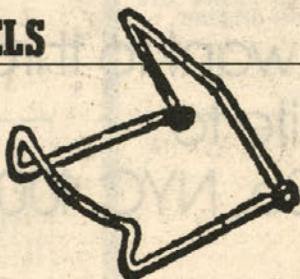
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Wendy, who are good kids and whose strips teach the important lesson that authority figures, including myself, shouldn't be obeyed if it conflicts with their consciences. (I just know I'm in the minority here.)

But for God's sake, don't anybody let on to Pat Robertson that a comics industry executive is touting Hot Stuff the Little Devil as a role model for Christian children.

Lest what I say be misconstrued, let me state unequivocally that I do not favor or advocate, and have never favored or advocated, censorship of any kind. No government agency can screen all the bad influences that can affect a child, and I don't think it would be a good thing if they could. Kids need to be exposed to the

whole world, not just the parts the censors approve of.

It's the responsibility of their parents to provide guidance and to help them decide which of the many types of behavior and ideals they see in fictional characters are worthy of admiration and emulation. And I make it clear to my kids that the behavior and ideals of the Harvey characters, while perhaps amusing, are not to be admired or emulated.

I don't quarrel with the Harvey characters' right to exist. I just have a bone to pick with anybody who claims they're acceptable role models for children.

David Bates

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I wonder if any of your readers might be able to help me on publication that may

or may not have actually been published. While I realize *CBG* is for comics, you do have generous coverage of books and magazines, so someone may know the answer to this.

While reading *Ulrich's International Periodicals Directory: 17th Edition: 1977-1978*, on page 961, I found this entry: "800 970.1 U.S. Indian Spacemen. 1974 s-a Four Points Intertribal Council, 140 Meyer Avenue, Dayton, OH 45431 illu. Science Fiction by American Indians."

Does this exist? Letters to the address brought no response. A call to a bookstore in Dayton brought the response they had never heard of it, but then had very little call for Indian material. But that address was in a somewhat run down area of the city. The Library of Congress did not respond at all.

I would guess if it exists, it may have been a "little" magazine probably sold by subscription only, and with no newsstand distribution. But, is it possible that there is an undiscovered American science fiction magazine?

[We know nothing about this, though we have some recollection of a proposed anthology of SF stories by American Indians. There was at least one fairly prolific Amerind SF writer a few years ago. Can anyone confirm whether this magazine ever appeared?]

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The recent interest in artist Arthur Adams sent me searching through my collection where I turned up what I believe to be Adams' first published work. The eight page story "One-Eyed Jack" appears in the fanzine *High-Energy* which came out in early 1982. Adams wrote, illustrated, and lettered this fairly standard horror story. Although the artwork is much weaker than what he is doing now, there are some nice touches throughout the story. In the biography,

section at the back of the book, Adams says that his second major ambition, after breaking into the comics industry as a professional, is to draw *The Micronauts*.

High-Energy also includes the first published work, as far as I can tell, of Steve Masseroni who went on to do a story and cover for *Eclipse Monthly* #9.

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This is my first letter to *CBG* although I should have written sooner on some of the more controversial matters dealt with in *CBG*, such as religion in comics and censorship. With this letter I will make amends.

It was a pleasure to make a reacquaintance with Don at the Atlanta Fantasy

Fair this year. I met Don in 1984 and had a nice chat with him, as I did this year. Indeed, the Fair was very enjoyable with one exception — and Mark Martin pointed this out in his con report cartoon.

The exception I am referring to was the rudeness of some of the fans at the costume contest and their cruel behavior towards one individual in particular. For the sake of that person I will not dwell on the incident itself, rather I would like to address my comments on the cruel way this person was treated.

The persons who sign up and enter the costume contest spend many hours preparing their costumes and rehearsing their acts. It is very easy to be critical of them when they are out on the stage. However, I feel it is more important to recognize the hard work they have put forth for that event and to applaud them

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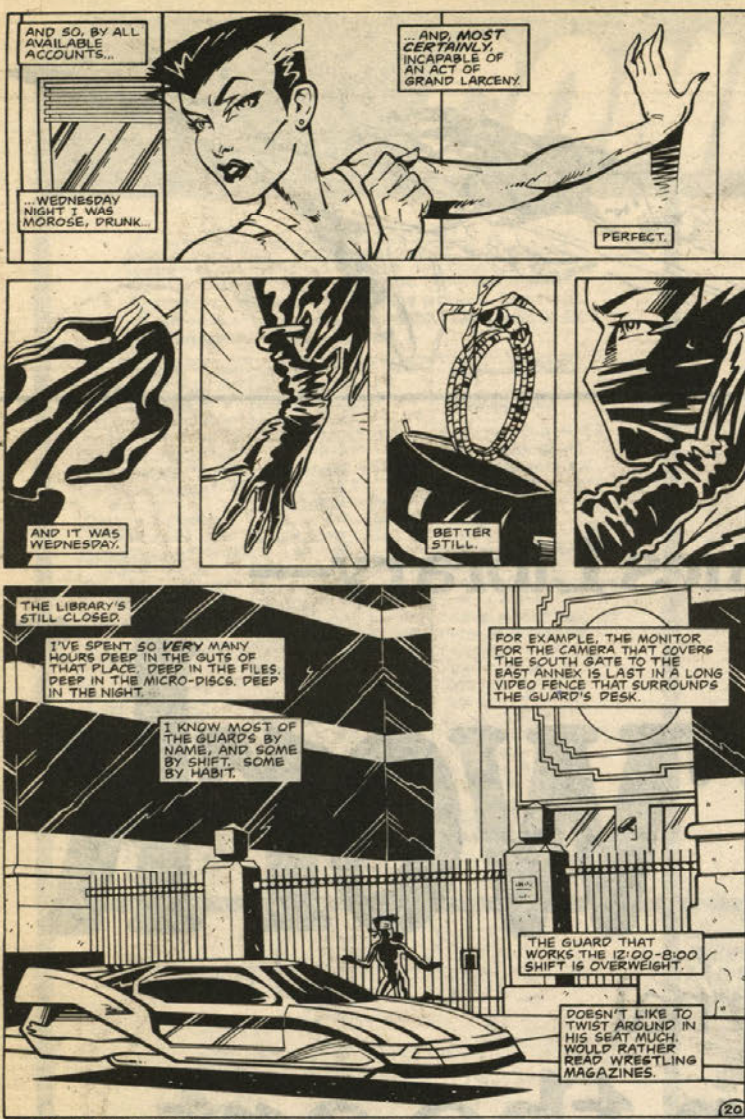
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for their efforts. For this reason, I feel that any booing or otherwise rude behavior is entirely out of place during the contest. If any of these meatballs can do any better than let them do it by entering the contest and being a part of it. Otherwise, I feel they should behave in a civil manner.

When the incident in question happened, I, too, started to laugh. I say this so no one will feel I am being self-righteous. However, before I did, I thought about what was happening and about the person being jeered. When I did that, I realized that I would not like to be laughed at or booed.

During the rest of that persons' performance I wanted to cry for that person. I knew she had to be hurting from the manner in which she was treated and the way the fans acted. Mark Martin's cartoon and the statement he makes about the incident in question only confirm what I felt at the time it occurred.

In addition, the young lady who was booed appeared to be young (around 15 or 16), although it was hard to tell from where I was sitting. I know from the heartaches I had as a teen-ager that those are difficult years in terms of self-image and identity and when one is treated in such a manner it crushes the spirit.

When the contest was over and I returned to my room, I told my wife what happened and shared with her how upset I was at the treatment the young girl got from the fans. I am sure that it left a negative impression on her, a non-fan and one who fails to enjoy comics and fantasy material the way I and many others do.

In the future I would like to see the Fair

have some kind of guidelines to govern this type of behavior so that no one else has to go through what this poor young lady went through. After all, we are there to have fun, not conduct a pageant or act like clowns at the circus who have forgotten how to be funny.

Moving on to other matters, the Fantasy Fair needs to ensure that no weapons of any kind are even brought into the Hotel. I know they are banned at the Fair itself, but they should be banned in the hotel itself because a fan got carried away on our floor and scared a maid badly. The

head of security was called and the young man got in some serious trouble. He was even told by the security man that he was lucky it was a maid he bumped into, because he, the security man, would have shot him on sight because of the weapon he was carrying. For this reason, I feel there should be no weapons anywhere in the hotel as well as the con. I know this may seem severe to some, but safety should come first.

I would like to close this letter by commenting on Dan Tyree's editorial con-

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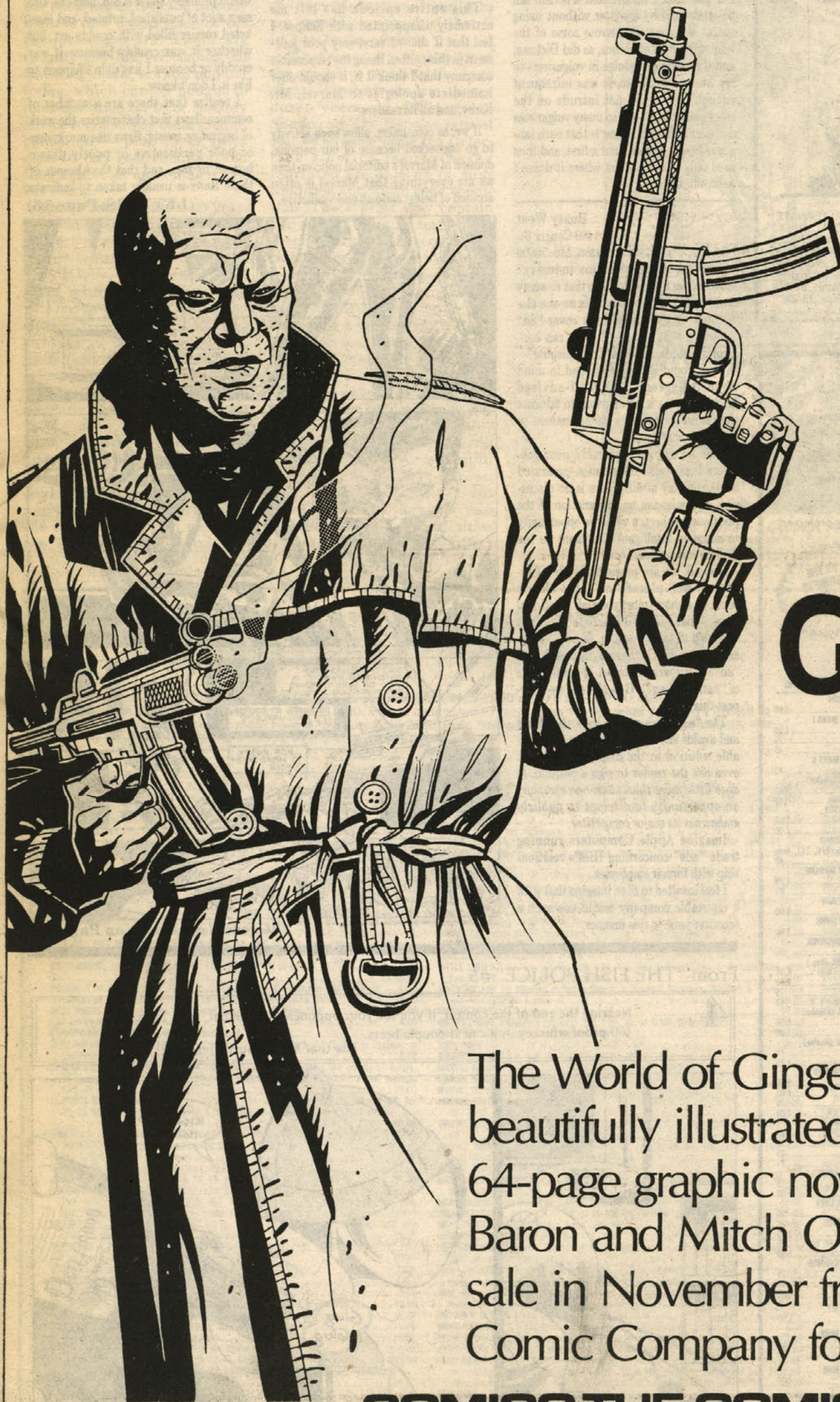
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LETTERS
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cerning profanity in comic books. I feel that there is much unnecessary profanity in comics. I am not advocating censorship nor am I saying that profanity should not be used at all. From a personal standpoint, I wish it weren't, but from a realism point of view, I realize that people do use such language every day and therefore a person in a comic book may use such language.

However, this does not mean that it should be used gratuitously as blood is in so many of the slasher movies. It should be used only in a plausible situation where it might be expected. I realize this is vague but anyone who can write professionally should have enough sense and judgment to know when such language is warranted and when it is not.

Does this mean it should be used? No. For, like Dan, I believe that a person can be made real by a writer without using vulgar language. Poe wrote some of the best writings in existence, as did Dickens, and they did not indulge in vulgarisms to my knowledge. If so, it was infrequent enough that it did not intrude on the story or stand out like so many vulgarisms do today. All I am asking is that such language be a last resort, not a first, and then used only in the context where it doesn't seem out of place.

Rusty West

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What is wrong with this industry? Must we live up to the image that so many in the public ascribe to us? Is no one else insulted by the recent back cover "ad" campaign that Eclipse Comics ran concerning the Marvel/Jack Kirby dispute?

What could Eclipse have had in mind when it agreed to such ill-advised material? Was it attempting to educate the public or raise its consciousness in regards to this issue?

If so, it did an extremely poor job. There is no valid information presented in this display at all. There is no discussion of the issues; no explanation of the positions; in short, a valuable opportunity to make an intelligent statement on the dispute was wasted.

Instead, we are presented with a full-spread, well-placed "ad" that clearly relies on a short (mostly visual) emotional impact that I think it is safe to say is not intended to reflect well on Marvel. As far as I can see, this is the sole purpose of this "ad": to disparage Marvel (a subtle form of "name-calling"). How else can we interpret this?

The "ad" does not address the issues and avoids any attempt to offer a reasonable solution to the dispute. It doesn't even ask the reader to sign a petition. It does little more than allow one company an opportunity to attempt to publicly embarrass its major competitor.

Imagine Apple Computers running trade "ads" concerning IBM's relationship with former employees.

I feel insulted to even imagine that such a reputable company would use such a sensitive issue in this manner.

My fear, however, is that with the Marvel-phobia rampant within the self-proclaimed "elite" of Fandom, the "ad" will be accepted as a valid form of protest (after all, we always take the side of the little guy versus the big corporate giant, don't we?). But such methods are only bound to hurt matters.

The "ad" certainly won't force Marvel's hand. In fact, Marvel will probably be even more resolute in its stand on this matter, so as not to be seen as bowing to pressure generated by another publisher. (Indeed, how can it even acknowledge that another company's readership was large enough to create pressure?)

I must hasten to add that the display does note that it is "Paid for by Friends of Jack Kirby" (with friends like this...), but this is no way pardons Eclipse. Editorial responsibility must always be exercised in any material accepted for publication.

This entire episode has left me extremely disappointed with Eclipse. I feel that it showed very, very poor judgment in this matter. Being the responsible company that I think it is, it should offer immediate apologies to Marvel, Mr. Kirby, and all its readers.

If we, as consumers, allow such activity to go unchecked because of our personal opinion of Marvel's editorial policies, then we are everything that Marvel is often accused of being: childish and vindictive.

Edward A. Seveik

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In your "Comics Guide" for the Aug. 29 issue, you review a mag called *Further Adventures*. The phrase in this review that interested me was, "A couple of years of practice and these guys could reach professional quality." My question for you is, what is your definition of "professional quality"?

I'm asking this not to be rude or out of idle curiosity, but because I myself have been wondering about the term for some time. According to my dictionary, a professional is somebody who has an assured competence in some field or occupation, but it seems to me that the only way to determine whether or not somebody is competent to draw a comic book is to put it on the market and see if it sells. Like everyone else, I've seen plenty of fan art that could go in a comic book easily and would probably sell if it did, and I've also seen a lot of published, printed, and marketed comics filled with cruddy art, but whether it was cruddy because it was cruddy or because I just didn't happen to like it, I don't know.

I realize that there are a number of common flaws that characterize the work of beginning artists, flaws like murkyness or poor perspective or poorly drawn human figures, and that the absence of these flaws is usually taken to indicate

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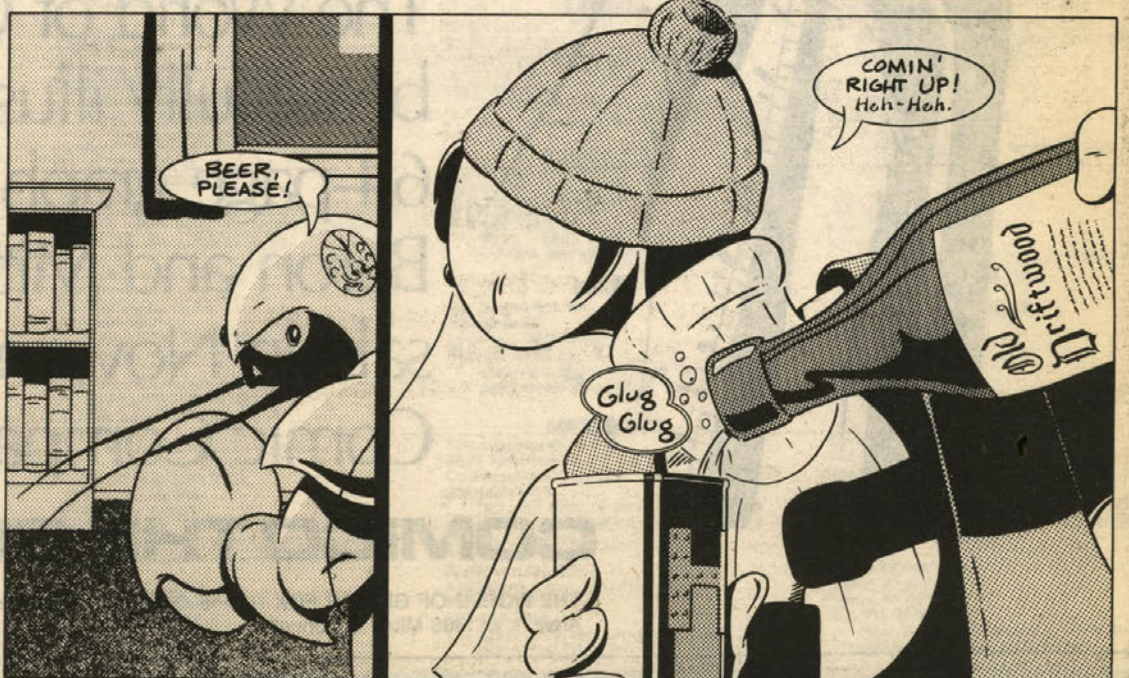
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that the artist has attained "Professional Status" but, to be honest, I'm bothered by those criteria, because a flaw in the work of one artist is often an advantage or defining characteristic of the work of another.

The only semi-satisfactory definition I've been able to come up with is that a professional generally gives one the impression that he knows what he's doing, and someone who isn't a pro doesn't. I'm still not really sure about that, though. Do you have a better one?

[Your definition is excellent.]

Pablo Picasso, before he did his abstract paintings and drawings, studied art and drew and painted realistically. He painted many realistic pictures of roosters, for instance, before he did an abstract painting of a rooster. He knew what the rules were before he deliberately violated the rules in order to get a specific effect, an effect he deliberately set out to achieve.

By the same token, a Jack Kirby character may stand in a position which would be uncomfortable or even impossi-

ble for a real person — but it looks right. Jack knows the rules; he knows how a person really stands. But he also knows what will look right in an action comic book and what will give the effect he wants.

Among the most common marks of the non-professional artist is that he doesn't know anatomy at all and he doesn't know what not to draw and he doesn't know how to draw for reproduction (which usually means he does not know the limitations of the various printing processes). If he doesn't care to learn these things, he will always be unprofessional.

The non-professional writer does not know the basics of manuscript production and cannot be bothered to look anything up. Like the non-professional artist, he does not know what to leave out.

When it comes right down to that old bottom line, though, your definition says it all.]

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Thanks for the mint copy of *Swamp Thing* #21. I doubt that I would have been able to afford that issue any time soon. Getting a mint copy makes it that much better.

As soon as I pulled the book out of the envelope, I started reading the issue. I read the story twice and couldn't believe how good it was. I don't know if it was the story or the elation at getting the comic book, but I think it is some of Alan Moore's best work.

Every page is bulging with story. Few writers fill each page with so much. I feel the same way about *Watchmen*. I have to think as I read each page. I like that. Forget the mindless fight scenes! Give me a good characterization any day.

Again, thanks for the free comic and thanks to the lady in circulation who was courteous and professional in helping me with a problem. You have some great people behind the scenes. Keep up the good work.

[Thanks again to DC for making it possible to give our subscribers this treat.]

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I read Robert Ingersoll's excellent column in *CBG* for Aug. 22 with interest.

His point about Bruce Wayne was well-taken: that Bruce would not be personally liable for the debts of the Wayne Foundation, which would normally make this year's *Batman Annual* more than a bit silly.

I think, though, that Bob missed something. I remember a business class I took a couple of years ago where the prof was talking about corporations and limited liability. He said that, although principle shareholders were technically not liable for debts incurred by the corporation, sometimes in practice banks will require the owners to pledge personal assets before the bank will loan them money.

It is possible, then, that Bruce Wayne

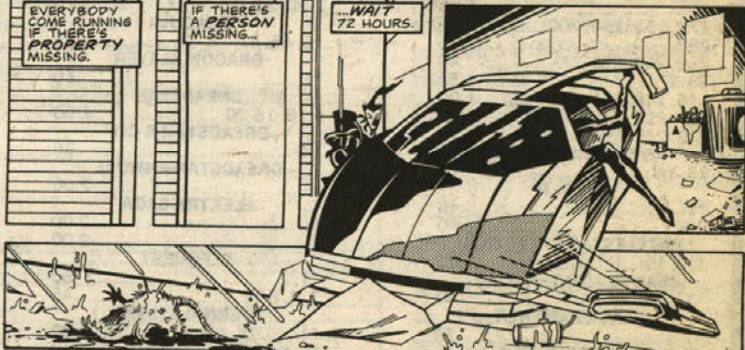
pledged his assets as security for loans when he was getting the Wayne Foundation off the ground. When Hugo Strange forced the Foundation into bankruptcy, the bank would come to Bruce to satisfy the Foundation's debts, even though limited liability supposedly held sway. So

just maybe Moench's story doesn't have quite as many holes in it as Bob thought.

I hate picking nits.

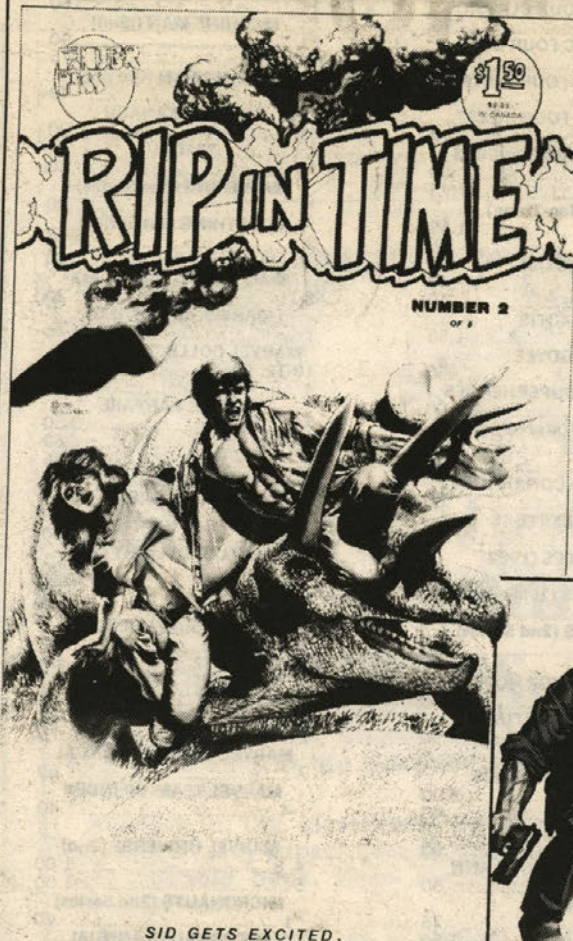
Keep up the good work. I love being able to read comics review every week. Now, if only you would run Bob Coulson's

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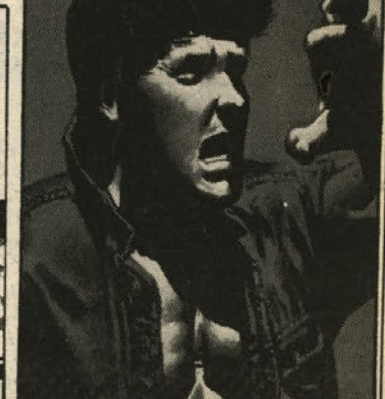


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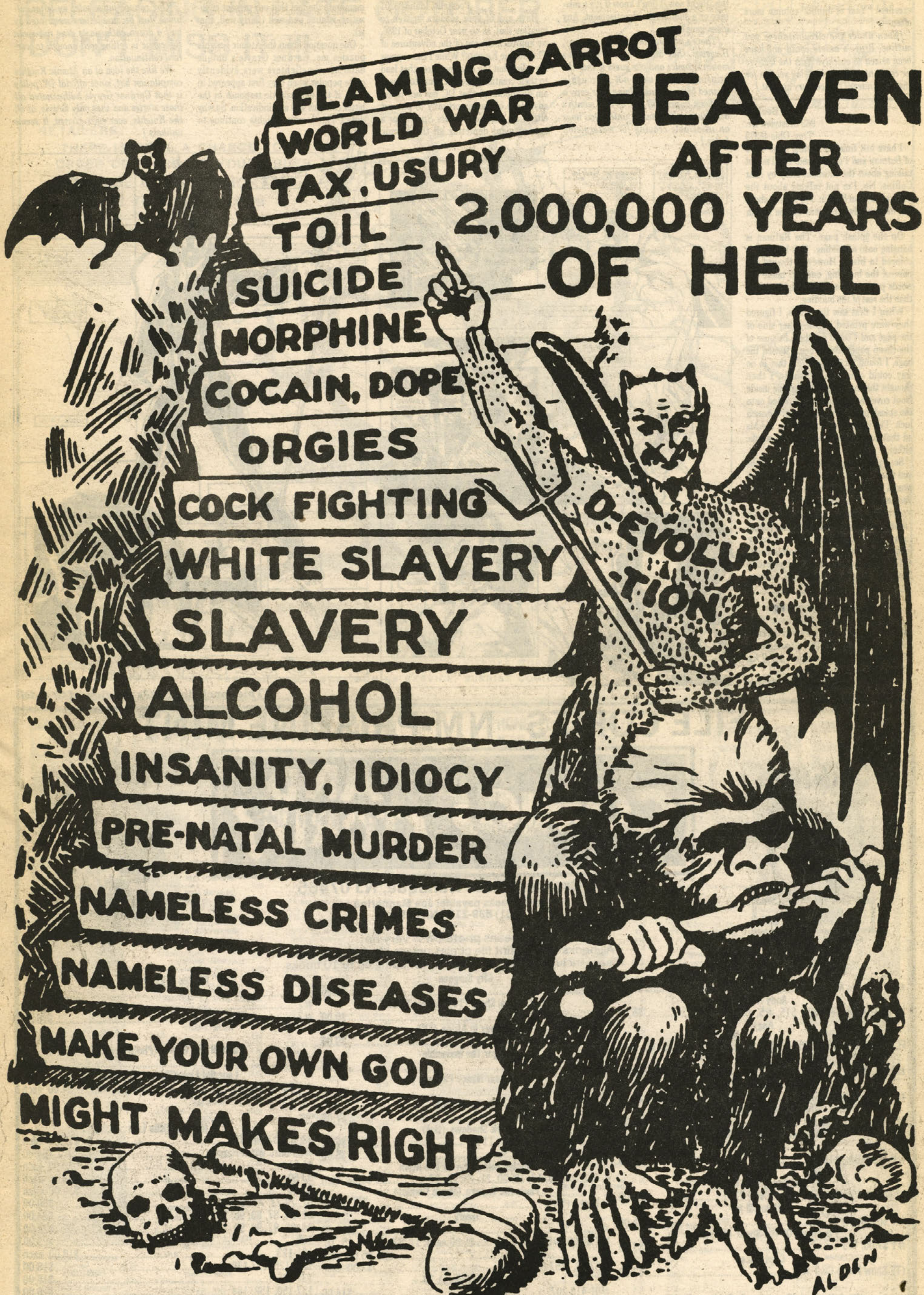


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DARLENE! (COUGH)



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LETTERS

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excellent "Year of Jubilo" column more often—

[Even under the circumstances you outline, Bruce's assets could not have been seized so quickly. With the lawyers he could hire, he could delay seizure for the remainder of this century at least.]

Tony Becker
962 Crestview Dr.
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I have just finished reading issue #402 of *Batman* and I'm confused. No, I'm not talking about the excellent story by Max Collins. No, I'm not talking about the great art by Jim Starlin. I'm talking about the hidden advertisement on the splash page.

On the splash page, The Batman is hanging onto a building. This building is colored in black. However, toward the base of the building, one can make out words printed in a slightly lighter color than the rest of the building.

When I first saw the words, I figured they were printed on the other side of the page and I could see them because of the cheap paper. But, when I turned the page, I found pictures and art that in no way could create those words. I then thought that maybe print from the inside front cover had somehow imprinted onto the splash page during shipping. No such luck. The inside front cover is an M&M's ad that couldn't have created the words, either.

So, I put the page under a strong light and tried to read them. I couldn't believe what I found. These words are an advertisement for Bonkers! candy.

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—Greg W. Myers

grape, and watermelon, too."

I hope someone at DC will comment on this. Right now, I don't know if it's a mistake or a subliminal advertisement. Any ideas, gang?

[There's nothing like that in our copy. However, that ad ran in the previous month's comics and our guess is that the printing presses were not thoroughly cleaned between runs, giving your copy a shadowy imprint of one of last month's ads. Nothing sinister — unless you have an insatiable craving for watermelon fudge.]

Bob Paige

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Have any of your readers written to mention that, as we near October of 1986, we approach the era of the adventures of The Atomic Knights? While I can express my relief that the circumstances that lead to their creation have not come to pass, I am disappointed that DC has not taken advantage of the opportunity to put out either an *Atomic Knights Special* or a reprint giant depicting all the Atomic

Knights adventures from *Strange Adventures*, if for no other reason than to commemorate the fact that our present civilization is alive and well (fairly well, that is).

One question about the Atomic Knights puzzles me. Gardner Grayle's unique band of crimefighters were evidently quite popular when they first appeared in 1960, if the enthusiastic response in the letter columns was any indication. So why didn't The Atomic Knights continue to

appear in *Strange Adventures* after #160?

[One cannot judge sales by letter columns. Just because letters are printed by half a dozen enthusiasts does not mean the comic is selling well enough to warrant continuation.]

We like the idea of an *Atomic Knights* compilation but, since official DC policy is that Gardner Grayle hallucinated all those stories and that only Grayle, of all the Knights, ever even existed, it seems unlikely.]



(This concludes CBG's preview of *Grendel*)

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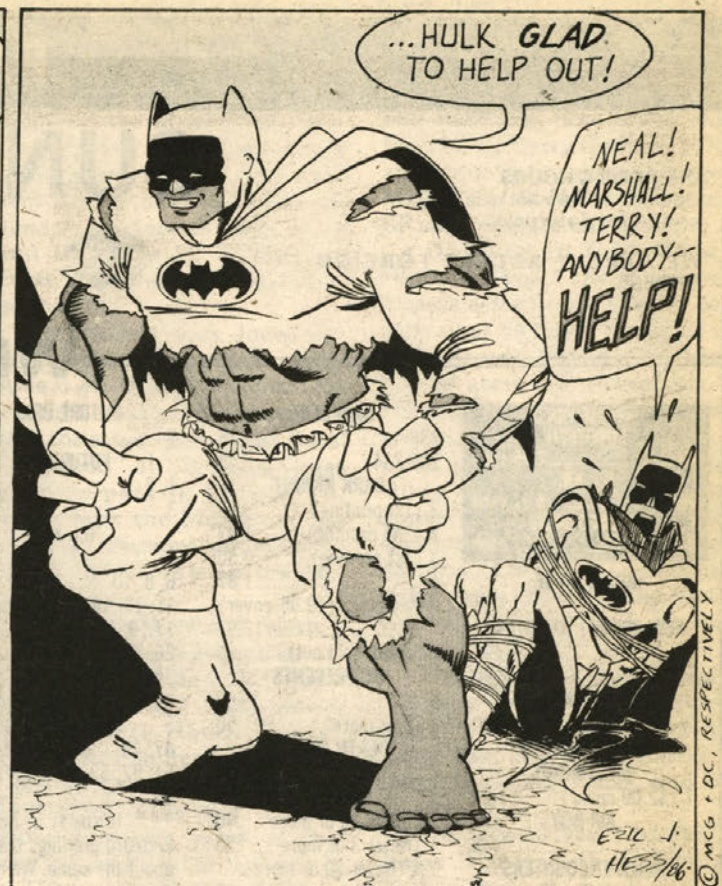
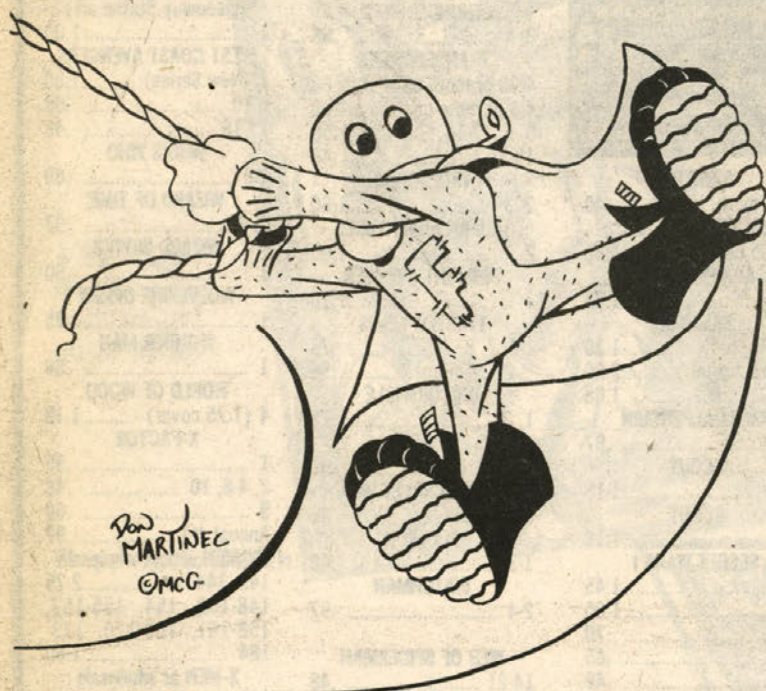
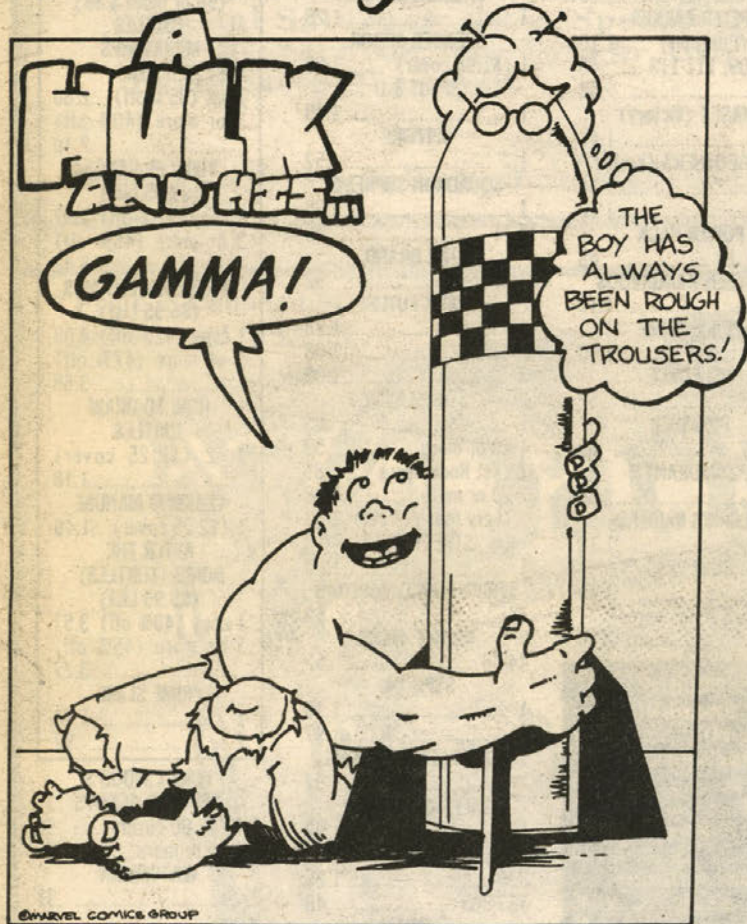
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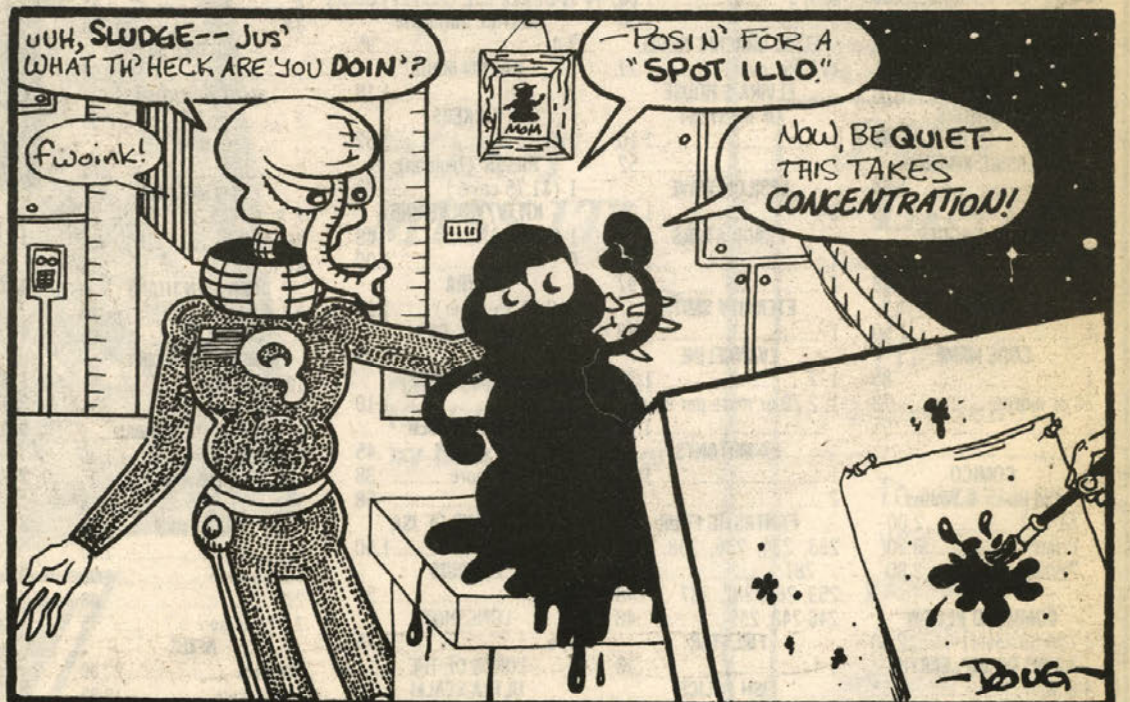
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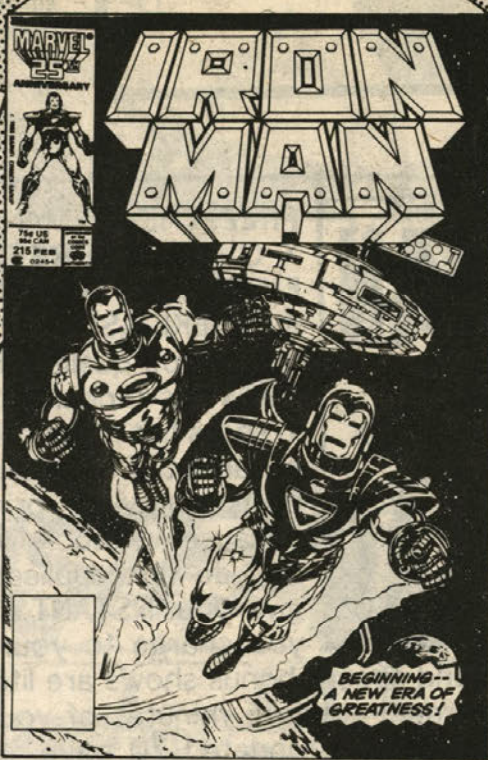
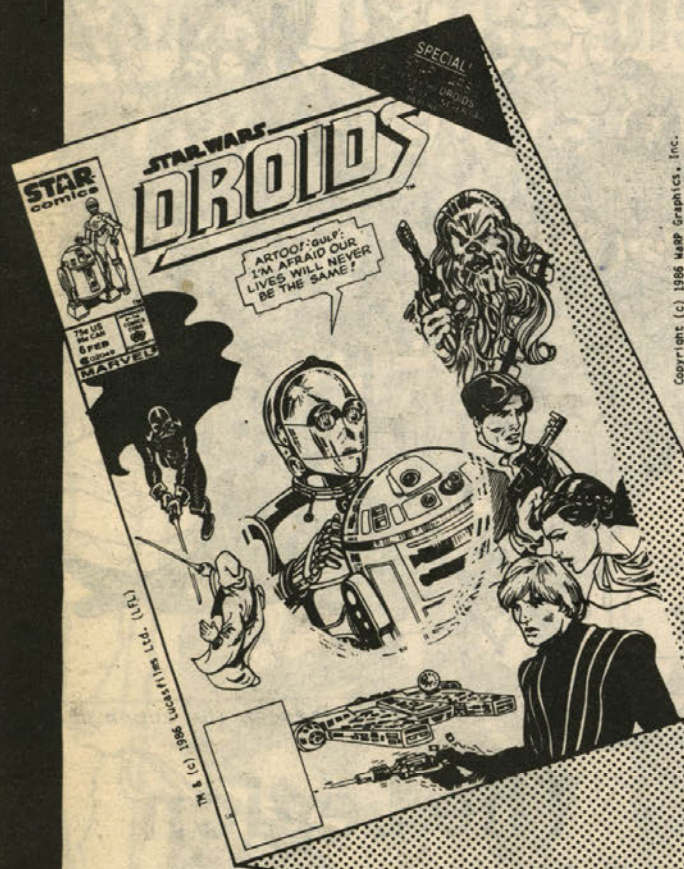
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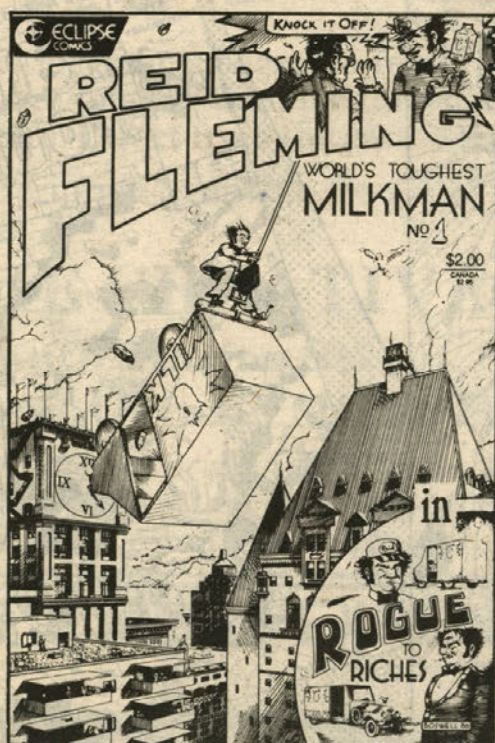
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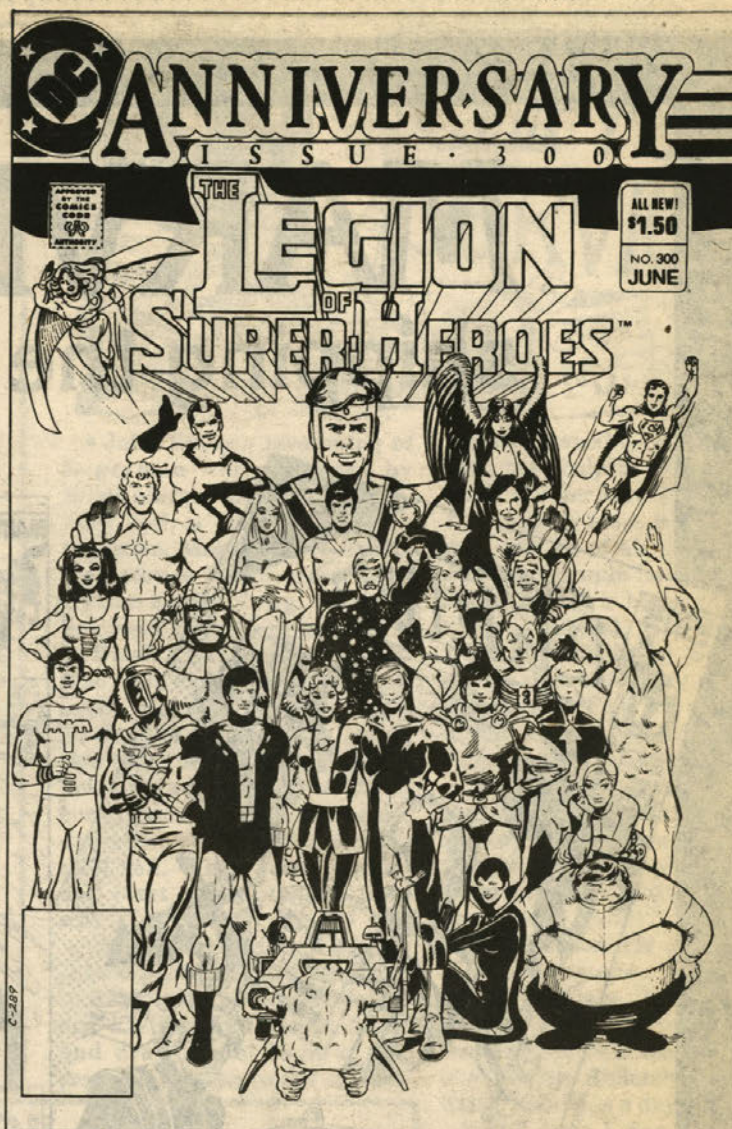


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An unusual thing (for the time) happened after the Legion disappeared from the pages of *Action Comics*: Fans clamored for the return of the Legion. Fan clubs and fanzines sprang up about the Legion. The readers who had grown up with the Legion wanted to see more of their heroes and could not accept their fadeout. Finally, a Legion series reappeared in *Superboy* #172 (March 1971) with a tale featuring the origins of Lightning Lad, his sister, Light Lass, and their evil brother, Lightning Lord. The series became an occasional back-up in *Superboy*, appearing off and on for the next 24 issues.

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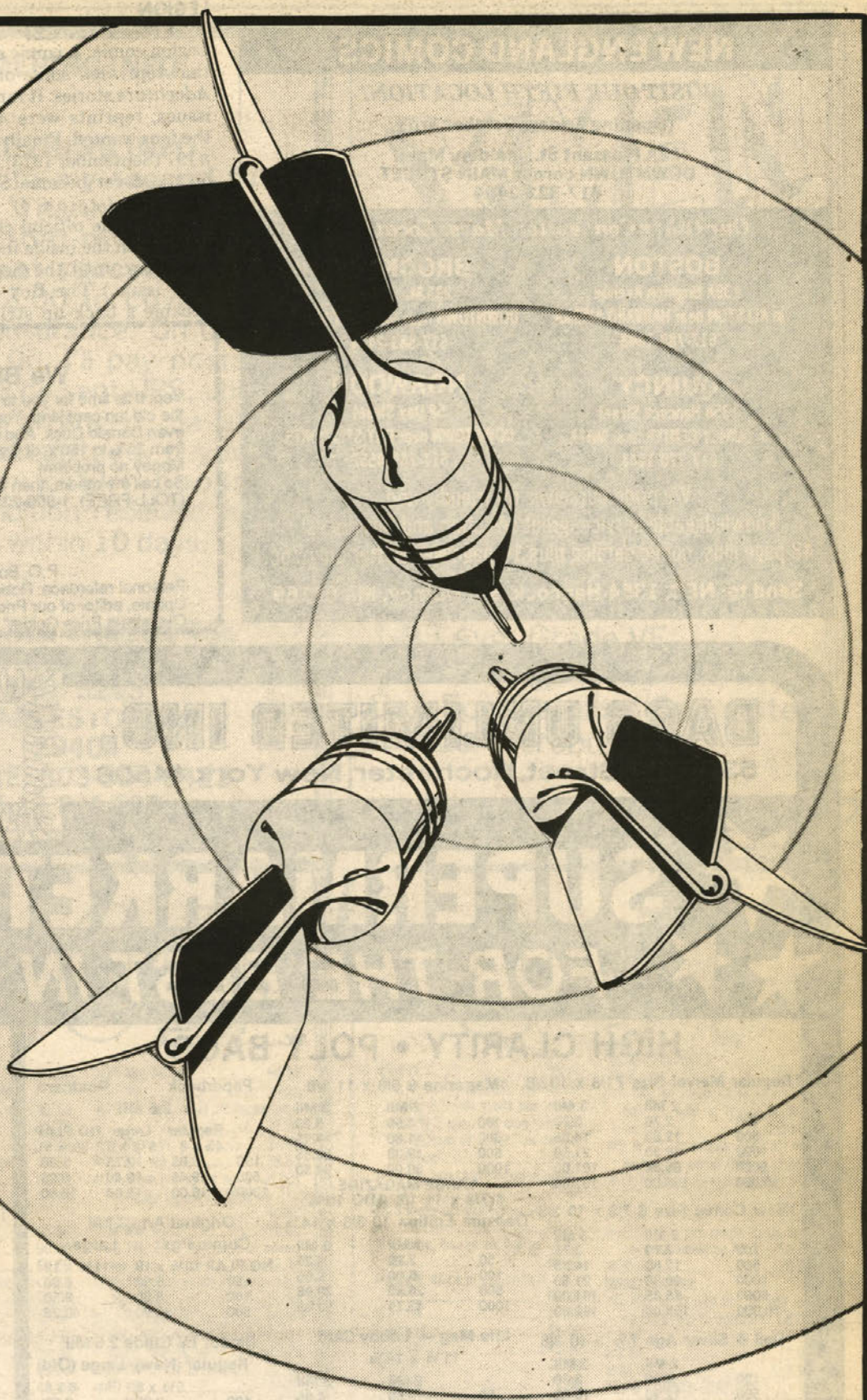
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LEGION

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Legion comic. A comic appeared that reprinted some of the old Adventure stories. It ran for four issues; reprints were not what the fans wanted. Finally, in issue #197 (September 1973), the title on the cover became *Superboy and the Legion of Super-Heroes*. (The official change of the title on the inside indicia did not occur until the September 1977 issue.) The Boy of Steel became a back-up strip in his

own comic book.

Elements of the old Legion stories quickly resurfaced, including The Fatal Five and proof that The Legionnaires were not invincible — long-time member Invisible Kid was killed by Validus.

Other changes occurred. The first Legion marriage, of Duo Damsel and Bouncing Boy, was performed, though the festivities were interrupted by Starfinger, an old Legion foe. Supergirl and

Matter-Eater Lad resigned, and new Legionnaires Tyroc (the first black Legionnaire) and Dawnstar appeared and came into their own. The death of Chemical King, predicted in the Adult Legion stories, took place in a battle in Australia.

The Legion had returned, stronger and more popular than ever. Jim Shooter returned after an absence of several years and combined the best elements of the Legion "space operas" with realistic characterization and development of the Legionnaires.

Although membership now approached 30, the personality traits, idiosyncrasies, loves, and preferences of each Legionnaire became clear, and each story served to build up the Legion myth and make it stronger. The villains were much more formidable and dangerous, as befit a universe where time travel

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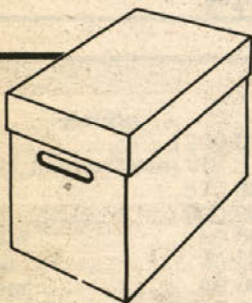
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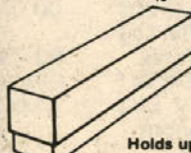
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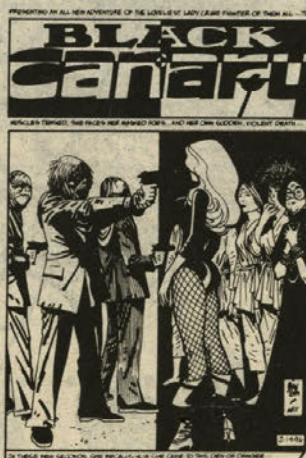


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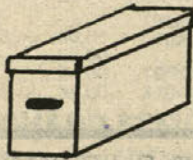
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LEGION

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occurred every day, and nearly nothing was impossible.

Finally, in the 259th issue (January 1980), the comic was renamed *The Legion of Super-Heroes*. After more than 30 years of his own magazine, Superboy was forced into a new comic. (He had stopped appearing in solo stories altogether years earlier.) The all-new stories featured a combination of powerful new villains, such as Kantuu, and returns of old foes, such as the Fatal Five, Time Trapper, and Dr. Regulus.

The creative team of Paul Levitz and Keith Giffen surfaced, with their first stories eventually becoming collectors' items. The "Great Darkness Saga," concerning Darkseid's takeover of Mon-El's home world, came in five parts, featuring a nearly indomitable villain who finally retreated, but not before placing his curse on The Legion.

When twins were born to Lightning Lad and Saturn Girl (twins being a common occurrence on Lightning Lad's world), Darkseid stole one of them in such a way the parents didn't even know there had been a second child. He then took the baby into the past, where it grew up to become Validus.

The 300th issue of the comic featured artwork by nearly every Legion artist and a contest for fans to identify the artists

responsible for the cover, which featured every Legionnaire. The story in that issue negated the Adult Legion stories so writers would no longer be "trapped" by what those stories had said would be the Legionnaires' fates.

Though the Legion had its own comic, it continued to appear in other magazines, digests, and special issues. *Adventure's* last few issues were in digest form and reprinted the earliest Legion tales.

In the spring of 1984, a new deluxe version of *The Legion of Super-Heroes*, printed on high-quality paper, made its debut with all-new stories. The first was a five-part Legion of Super-Villains epic that included Karate Kid's death and the restoration of Lightning Lass' original power. New stories continued to appear in the regular comic, renamed *Tales of the Legion of Super-Heroes*, until a year later, when the deluxe stories (which were sold only in comic book shops) began to be reprinted.

The future of the Legion promises even more upheavals, as three Legionnaires have resigned, a new leader has been elected, and five new members have joined.

Part of the magic of The Legion is its development of the individual members, a difficult task. Yet fans have their favorite Legionnaires and favorite personalities.

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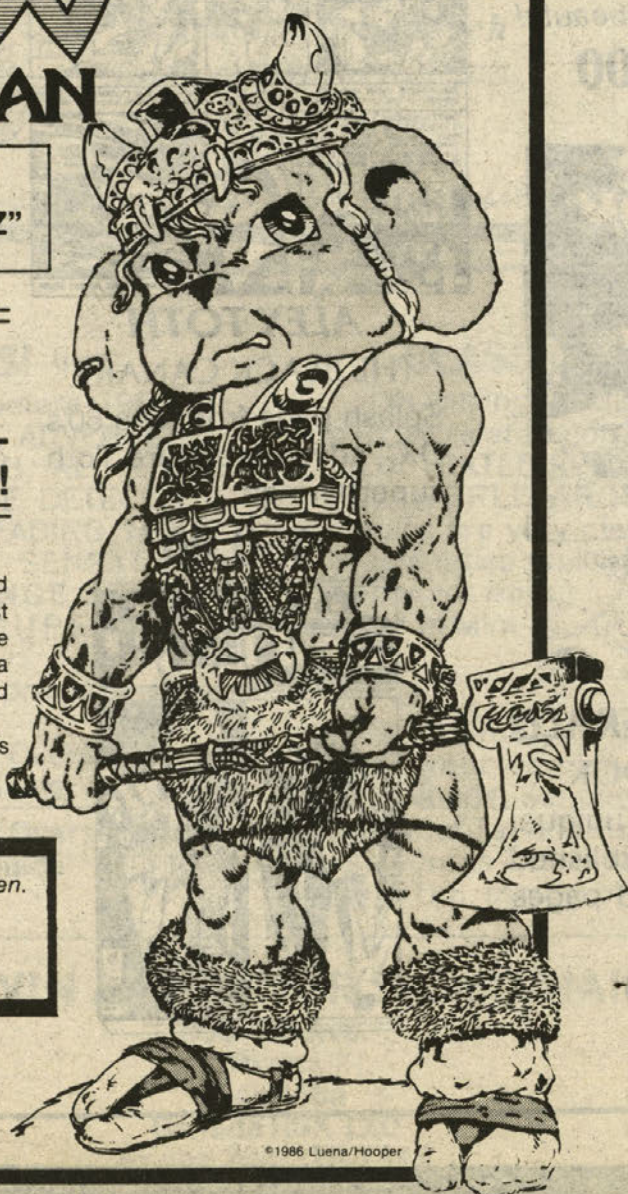
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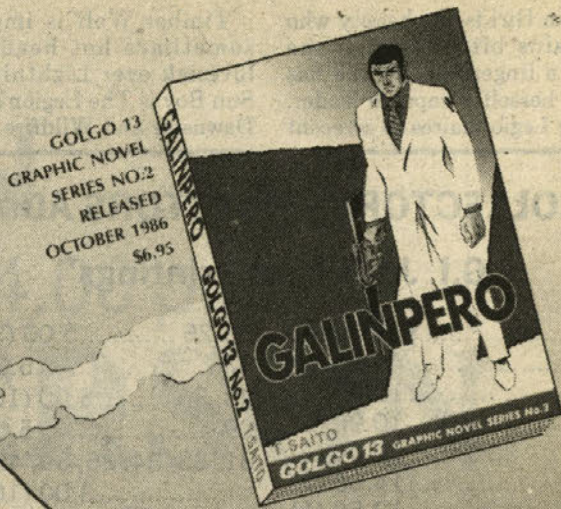
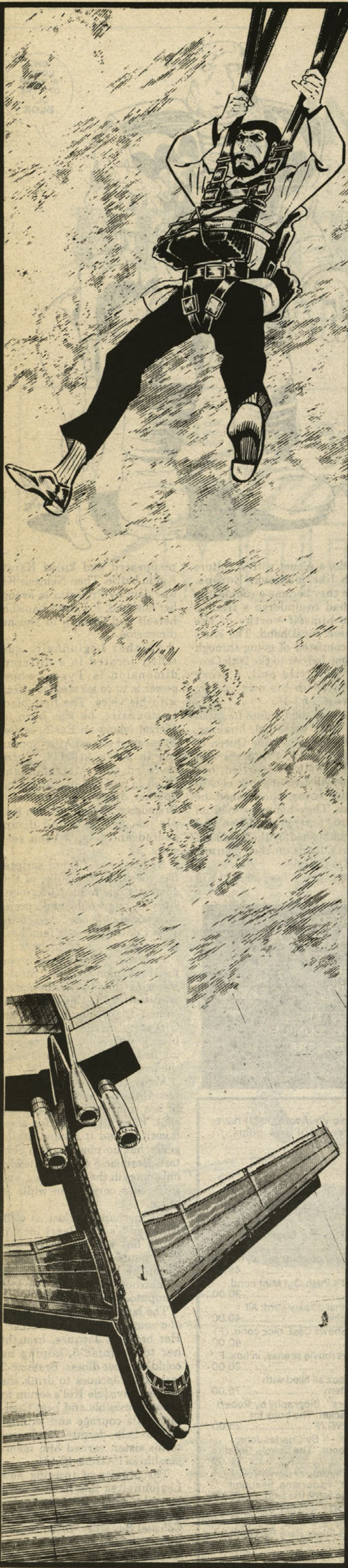
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LEGION

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Dream Girl is the beauty who complains bitterly when she breaks a fingernail, yet she has proven herself a capable leader, guiding Legionnaires in a recent

Legion of Super-Villains tale and the "Great Darkness Saga."

Timber Wolf is impetuous, sometimes hot-headed, and lovesick over Lightning Lass. Sun Boy is The Legion's Romeo. Dawnstar and Wildfire are both

overbearing and outspoken. Cosmic Boy is always cool and calmly determined.

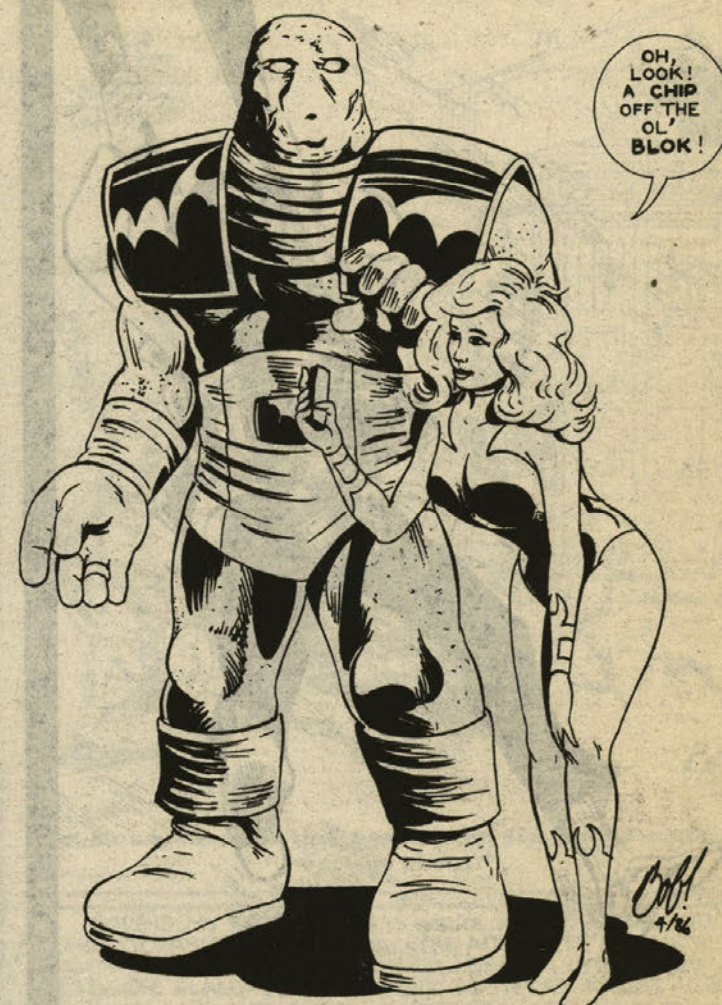
The Legionnaires do not dress alike or look alike; each is readily identifiable. They come in all shapes, colors, and sizes. The team boasts an Amerind, Dawnstar; two blacks, Tyroc and Invisible Kid II; green-skinned Brainiac-5 and blue-skinned Shadow Lass; and Jewish Colossal Boy. Chameleon Boy is distinguished by his antennae and orange complexion, whereas Blok is a sentient rock being. And Wildfire, a mass of pure energy, has no body at all!

Maybe the good guys always come through unscathed on TV shows; it's not true of the Legion. So far, four members have been killed in action: Ferro Lad, Karate Kid, Chemical King, and the original Invisible Kid. Chemical King had been suffering an inferiority complex, comparing himself with Superboy, yet he was the only one who gave his life to stop Deregion's plan to begin World War VII on earth. Invisible Kid was crushed by Validus of The Fatal Five, just as he planned to propose marriage to his girlfriend Myla — who turned out to be a ghost.

The love interests of the Legionnaires have popped up through the years, with most of the members becoming involved with someone special, as would happen in any group of young people working as a team.

The long-time relationship of Lightning Lad and Saturn Girl is perhaps the most important ongoing characterization in the Legion. Duo Damsel, after getting over her crush on Superboy, married Bouncing Boy, the first Legion marriage, and the two still sometimes appear in Legion tales. Other Legion couples include Phantom Girl and Ultra Boy, Shadow Lass and Mon-El, and Cosmic Boy and the Subs' Night Girl.

Probably the most tragic love story concerns Karate Kid and Princess Projectra. The two joined the Legion at the same time. He was an orphan raised by a martial arts master; she was the only child of King Voxv of



Orlando, a planet with a culture much like medieval Europe. When they became a couple, the Kid had to undergo a trial to prove himself worthy of the Princess' royal hand. The Kid's trial consisted of going through the time barrier to the 20th Century to battle evil, a story recounted in his own comic, *Karate Kid* #1-15.

The king died before he could bless their betrothal, however, and Projectra became Queen of Orlando. Soon, Projectra and Karate Kid were married, but not before battling her cousin Prince Pharrox, who claimed the throne. They honeymooned on Luxuris, a paradise planet, and were ambushed by the Legion of Super-Villains on their journey home to Orlando.

The Legion's foe Nemesis Kid

reappeared and killed Karate Kid in battle. Then Nemesis Kid was slain by Projectra to avenge her husband. Projectra banished herself and Orlando to another dimension.

Another Legionnaire currently located in a different dimension is Tyroc, whose power is to cause strange effects with his voice. The first black Legionnaire, he was born on Marzal Island on Earth, settled by escaped slaves. After appearing in a few stories, Tyroc revealed that Marzal Island faded in and out of Earth from another dimension, not unlike Brigadoon. He rejoined his people just as the island disappeared and hasn't been seen since.

At least one Legion scripter has vocalized his dislike of this character due to his background story — one would hope prejudice would no longer exist in the 30th Century — but fans have been asking for his comeback.

Fans cast their votes each year for the Legion's leader. Stories featuring the election became a tradition with the aforementioned Lightning Lad-Saturn Girl story in 1963. There have been 11 different members serving in 14 leadership posts since the Legion's beginnings.

Many recent elections have seen Ultra Boy and Element Lad in hot competition for the top spot. Fans often vote for their favorites, and it seems intelligence has no place in this contest; Brainiac-5 has been leader only once, in the early years, and suffered a concussion while in office.

But perhaps it's just as well. Brainiac-5's 12th-level intelligence has not protected him from bouts of madness, during which he has unleashed such monstrous foes as Omega and Computo.

The latter possessed the body of a young girl, Danielle Foccart. Her brother, Jacques, brought her to Brainiac-5, hoping he could cure her illness. Brainiac-5 instructed Jacques to drink the original Invisible Kid's serum to become invisible and beat Computo. His courage and willingness to help, despite the danger to his sister, earned him membership as Invisible Kid II.

The process of training new Legionnaires has been shown several times in the past, beginning with the earlier-mentioned Colossal Boy story. Often Legion trainees make brief appearances. Among them are Comet Queen,

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LEGION

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Nightwind, Crystal Kid, and the brothers of Cosmic Boy and Shadow Lass. (Cosmic Boy's brother, Magnetic Kid, just joined the Legion along with

four other new members, Tellus, Quislet, the mysterious Sensor Girl whose true identity was revealed only recently, and Polar Boy from the Subs.)

The length of training has not been established, though Tim-

ber Wolf had trained for four years before joining the Legion. More recently, Laurel Kent, a descendant of Superman who possesses his invulnerability, has been in the Legion Academy for nearly seven years.

Honorary Legionnaires have not been inducted in recent years, but three people had this honor bestowed on them in earlier tales: Elastic Lad, a Plastic Man-like hero who was actually Superman's pal, Jimmy Olsen; Pete Ross, who inadvertently learned Superboy's secret identity; and Rond Vidar, villain Universo's son and inventor of the time cube.

There is also a Legion Reserve. Reservists include Lana Lang, who tried for full membership in her Insect Queen identity, but was turned down because her powers depended upon a ring given her by an alien (Legionnaires' powers cannot come from devices), and Kid Psycho, a mysterious mutant with kinetic powers who shortened his lifespan each time he used his power. Kid Psycho died recently in the maxi-series *Crisis on Infinite Earths*.

Supporting characters abound in Legion lore. One of the most important is Rene Jacques Brande, a multi-billionaire who founded the Legion when the three charter members, Saturn Girl, Cosmic Boy, and Lightning Lad, saved his life. Brande made his fortune creating suns and was revealed to be Chameleon Boy's father in the *Secrets of the Legion of Super-Heroes* mini-series.

Colossal Boy's mother, Marte Allon, was the former President of Earth.

The Legion's senior advisor is Marla Latham, who, despite his name, is a man. He appeared in *Superboy* #98 to grade Ultra Boy's initiation. His next appearance occurred when Ultra Boy found himself in trouble 16 years later.

Earth's Science Police have always worked hand-in-hand with the Legion. Their liaison to the Legion is lovely Shvaughn Erin. Her sidekick, Gigi Cusimano, dates Sun Boy.

The current phase of the Legion sees long-time plot threads resolved and new ones



How many Legionnaires does it take to change a light bulb?

popping up, continued personality growth of the characters, and a jumping of scenarios from one to another, as in the manner of some films.

One of the more surprising events concerned the original Invisible Kid's popping out of a dream dimension after a battle with Omen, only to have Invisible Kid II (introduced in the early '80s) journey with him to the dimension to find he was an imposter.

Element Lad, frequently elected deputy leader, was finally chosen leader and began his romance with Science Police officer Shvaughn Erin.

Shrinking Violet was captured without the Legion suspecting anything for a while, as her role was assumed by Yera, a shape-shifter from Chameleon Boy's world, who eventually married Colossal Boy.

Legionnaires converse in Interlac, a universal language; Legion writers have devised an entire alphabet. Interlac sym-

bols are often liberally scattered throughout Legion tales, sometimes with funny translations; one story showed a young man wearing a T-shirt with "Where's the beef?" inscribed in Interlac.

Touches of humor sometimes show up in Legion lore. The location of the Legion Clubhouse is named Weisinger Plaza (after original Legion editor Mort Weisinger); the Sorcerers' World is called Zerox; and Matter-Eater Lad (who has the power to consume anything) hails from the planet Bismoll.

The Legionnaires travel through the air with their flight rings, invented by Brainiac-5 using an element invented by Mon-El. The rings are activated by willpower, though it took more than one ring to lift Blok in his Legion debut.

Formerly, the Legionnaires had used anti-gravity belts and, in the earliest stories, used clumsy jetpacks on their backs. The belts were gifts from Super-

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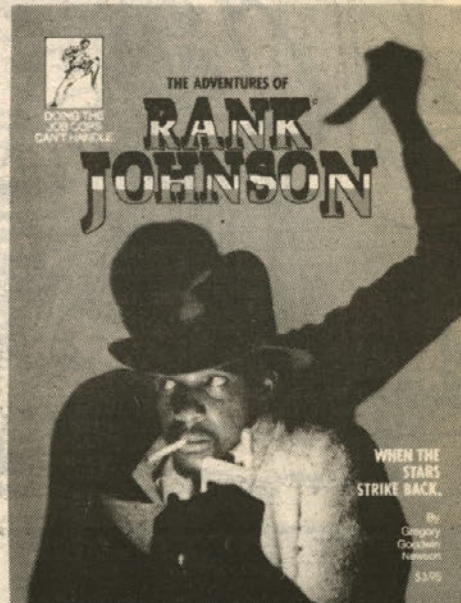
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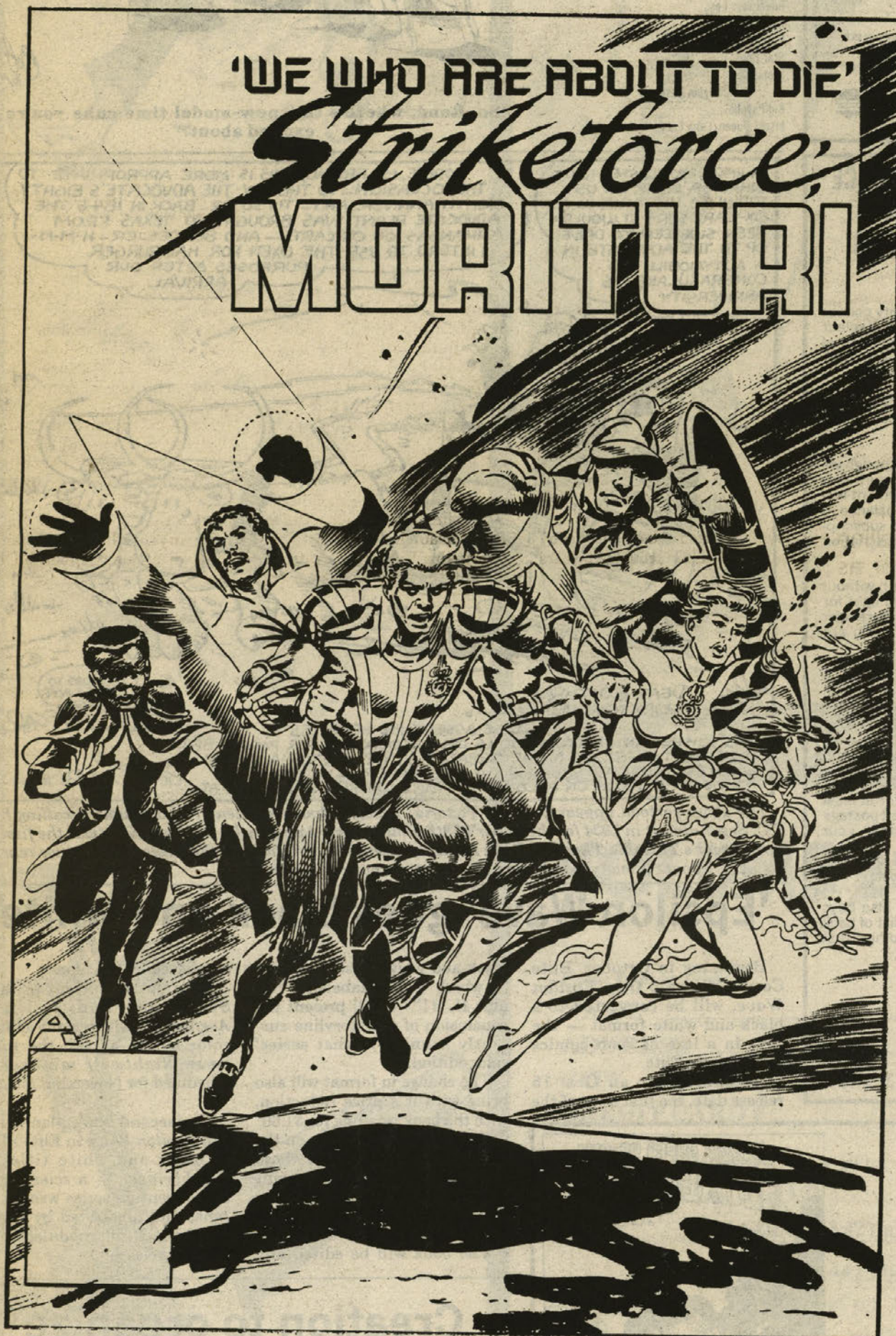
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LEGION

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man in an Adult Legion story, yet the belts were used in tales depicting the members as teenagers. Members used Legion cruisers for travel and telepathic plugs for communication in deep space.

Legion fans are amazingly adept at spotting both inconsistency and continuity within their heroes' long histories. They are committed to the series and don't hesitate to make their opinions known on any changes.

Perhaps it is this combination of detailed characterization, background, and history — along with its dedicated fandom — that sets the Legion apart as a

unique favorite.

Membership

Legion of Super-Heroes

Blok
Bouncing Boy
Brainiac 5
Chameleon Boy
Chemical King
Colossal Boy
Cosmic Boy
Dawnstar
Dream Girl
Elastic Lad (honorary)
Element Lad
Ferro Lad
Invisible Kid
Invisible Kid II
Karate Kid
Lightning Boy/Lightning Lad
Lightning Lass/Light Lass
Magnetic Kid
Matter-Eater Lad

Mon-EI
Nemesis Kid
Phantom Girl
Princess Projectra
Pete Ross (honorary)
Polar Boy
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Saturn Girl
Sensor Girl
Shadow Lass
Shrinking Violet
Star Boy
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Superboy
Supergirl
Tellus
Timber Wolf
Tyroc
Triplicate Girl/Duo Damsel
Ultra Boy
Wildfire

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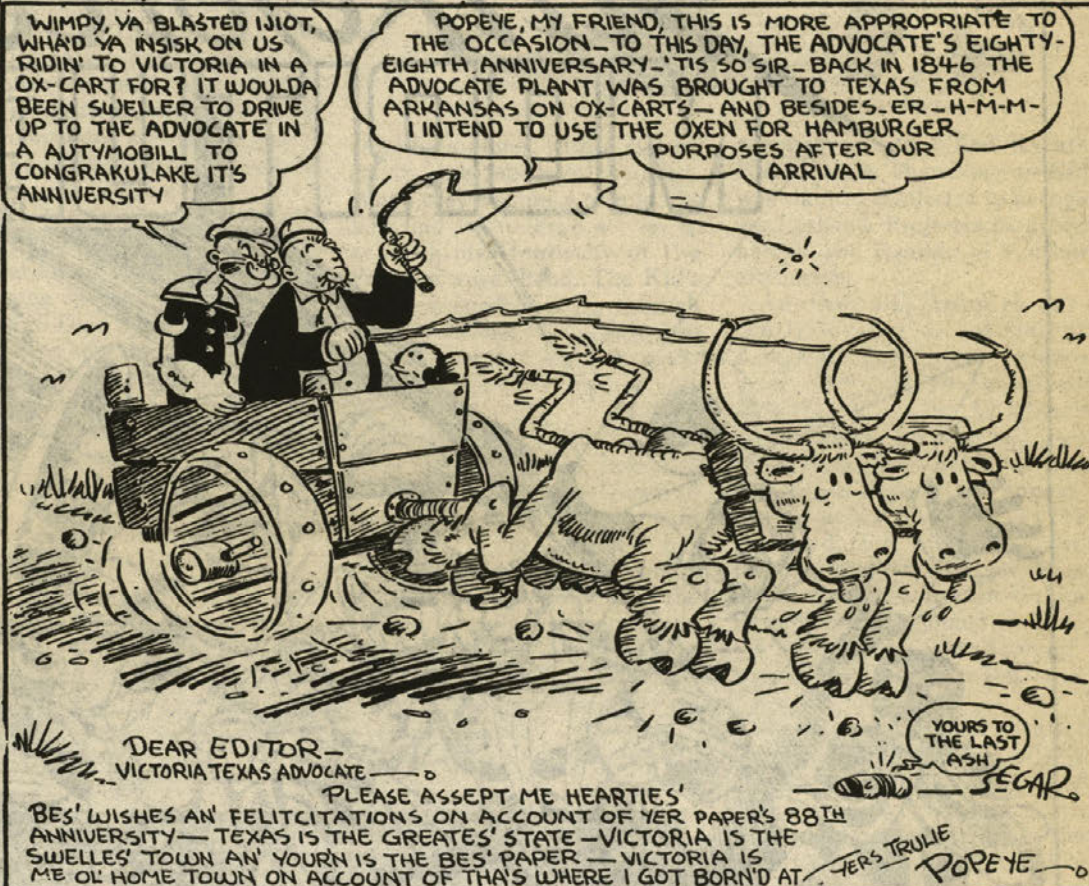
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'Epsilon Wave' goes black-and-white

Beginning in October, Elite Comics' flagship title, *Epsilon Wave*, will be converted to a black-and-white format — the first in a line of such comics coming from Elite.

Scheduled for an Oct. 15 release date, the first issue of the

black-and-white *Epsilon Wave* — which will be labeled "Volume II, #1" — will present the conclusion of the storyline currently running in that series' color edition.

The change in format will also bring with it a price reduction, with the book retailing for \$1.60.

Continuing as penciller on the book will be Steve Erwin, whose work has previously seen print in *Grimjack* and *Shatter*. Inking will be by Jim Bauer, with scripting by Tom Floyd.

The book will be edited and

co-plotted by R.A. Jones.

Elite's other current titles — *Seadragon* and *Twilight Avenger* — will remain as full-color books, as will the four-issue *Nightwolf* mini-series scheduled for November release.

The second book planned to join *Epsilon Wave* in Elite's line of black-and-white titles is *Deathbringer* — a science-fiction adventure series written by Jones and illustrated by Butch Burcham. It is scheduled for a January release.

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By Don Thompson

This time, a look at forthcoming comics via photocopies. Some of these comics will be out by the time you read this, others may not be out for a month or more.

(Incidentally, I would appreciate it if those publishers who send me photocopies to review would also send me the actual comic book when it is published. In fact, if I review a comic book from photocopies and then do not receive a copy of the comic book, it will be the last photocopy I'll review from that publisher. I'm tempted to name names here, but will refrain for now.)

• Action Comics #584, Adventures of Superman #424, and Superman #1 came in all at once. They'll go on sale a week apart and you should have seen at least two of them, maybe all three, by the time you read this.

These are not the greatest comics I ever read. They aren't even the best Superman stories I ever read. However, this is the first time in decades that I have read three good Superman stories in a row. They are not startlingly original — Superman fights a kryptonite-powered robot, Superman fights a giant Transformer, The Teen Titans battle a Superman gone berserk — but they are all well-done, well-written, well-drawn stories.

For more than 30 years, with rare exceptions, Superman's "stories" have been nothing but gimmicks, trivial notions perhaps good for vignettes, but not for issue-long stories. I really don't care who or what is doubling for Clark to keep Lois Lane from discovering his secret identity this time. ("It's not a robot, or Bruce Wayne, or a resident of Kandor, or President Kennedy, or Wilt Chamberlain, readers! Can you guess what new variation on this tired theme we've come up with this month?")

I could do without some of the soap-opera sub-plots in Adventures of Superman, but that's a relatively minor quibble. These were all fun to read; I haven't

been able to say that about three issues of any Superman-featuring comic book in any given month since the '40s.

• I've read the first three issues of Comet Man and I hope the coloring helps, because the art is extremely unsatisfactory. The script by actors Bill Mumy (Lost in Space and Twilight Zone: The Movie, among others) and Miguel Ferrer (Cagney and Lacey, Flashpoint) is OK, but the art is right out of The Generic Comic Book.

The hero is checking out Halley's Comet when his space ship explodes. He is picked up by an alien aboard the comet, which is actually a space ship sent to check on us every 77 years, is reconstructed with some improvements, and is tossed out of the ship in a comet-emblazoned costume to make his way back to Earth. ("I'm lost in space," he says. I wonder who wrote that line.)

His life is vastly complicated by a lecherous fellow scientist who lusts for his wife and by evil government types who want to duplicate in his son the process which gave him super-powers. He also encounters The Hulk and Reed Richards along the way.

It's an enjoyable mini-series, but not an outstanding one. Better art would have helped a lot.

• I'll stretch my policy about not reviewing photocopies from companies which do not send me the actual issue this one time so I can mention Critters #8 and #9. (Fantagraphics is pretty good about sending me Critters, but I have only photocopies of several other of their publications; the irritating thing is that, by the time I discover they are not sending me an issue, no comics store I deal with has copies.)

However, you should be aware of Critters, a publication I like quite a bit. Issue #8, besides reprinting Mark Armstrong's very funny "Jack Bunny" story from Charlton Bullseye along with a one-pager by Mark, offers a Tom Stazer "Lionheart" story in which he gets involved with a haunted hotel in the spirit of those Porky Pig and Sylvester cartoons. That's reason enough to buy Critters #8 (#9 continues "Lionheart" and has another "Gnuffs" story by Freddy Milton).

The feature which makes Critters #8 a must-buy is Ty Templeton's "The Ol' Treasure Map Story," a wonderful — and worthy — tribute to Walt Kelly. Templeton is not slavishly imitative of Kelly, but the spirit is definitely there. We'll have to buy extra copies for our kids and for my mother-in-law — devout Kellyphiles all. If you like Pogo, don't miss this story. ("I haven't seen one of those since '73. It's nice to know some things never change." "I'm all aglow." I feel the same way about this story.)

Due to computer problems (it just ate the reviews of six comic books), I'm going to have to cut this installment much, much shorter than I had planned. Next time, I hope, I will cover Destroy!! through World of Ginger Fox!, including the first issue of the new Wonder Woman. See you then.

'Stark: Future' has new artist

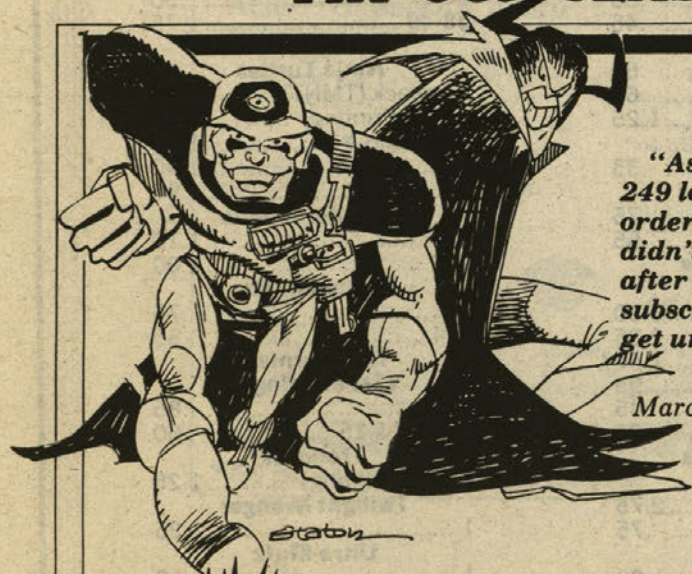
Jim Somerville is the regular artist for Stark: Future, beginning with #3, now on sale.

He did inking and additional pencils for the second issue and worked briefly as inker for Aircel's Elflood.

Aircel spokesman Ken Campbell said the new artwork "will have a strong 'heavy metal' look to enhance the tough, gritty storyline."

Stark: Future will continue to be written by Gordon Derry, creator of the series.

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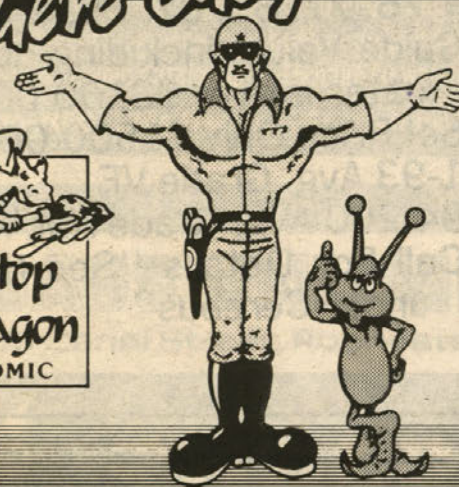
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Black 'Everett True'

Historian discovers 'Prof. Doodle' raved in 1940s

By Bill Blackbeard

There seems to be no limit to the number of historic surprises the vast and still largely unassessed domain of comic art

between 1896 and the present can hold. What appears to have been the only direct imitation of A.D. Condo's classic *Outbursts of Everett True* published as a general newspaper panel has just surfaced; it dates from the middle 1940s and — a surprise in itself — it turns out to have been the work of a major black cartoonist and illustrator of the period.

While doing research with Trina Robbins in connection with her upcoming comic strip paper doll book for Eclipse, and rummaging through the Academy's bound files of a black weekly of the 1940s, *The Chicago Defender*, I did at least a quadruple take in flipping past, then pawing frantically back to see what I was sure had to have been a hallucination, but what was in fact an episode of *The Ravings of Prof. Doodle*, as reproduced here. There were one of these a week, starting April 19, 1947, and continuing into 1950 and later, all as neat a parallel of True in the black community as its highly skilled creator, Jay Jackson, could produce.

Jackson, who also drew two continuity adventure strips for the *Defender* at the time, will immediately be recalled by older science fiction fans as one of the most talented and stylistically outstanding illustrators of the

Chicago-based Ziff-Davis *Amazing Stories* and *Fantastic Adventures* pulps.

Obviously a childhood devotee of *Everett True* — the Condo strip ended in the early 1930s — Jackson apparently created Professor Doodle as a graphic and effectively comic means of delivering the *Defender's* more salient editorial points about black responsibility to the community in an immediate, forceful way.

So popular was the feature that it was continued by other, unsigned — and much less talented — hands after Jackson left the paper in 1949; I don't know when it was finally dropped, since the Academy *Defender* files ends with the issues of December 1950.

There may well have been a *Doodle* collection in book form, which will be a marvelous find if it ever turns up. Chicago-area *CBG* readers, go ye forth and delve into the always dusty and jam-packed shelves of old humor books in the used-book shops near you: your find may get you a byline in *CBG*.

[Editors' note: The editors of *CBG* are indeed interested in any collections of *The Ravings of Prof. Doodle*, if such books exist. Tony Isabella, who continues to chronicle *Everett True's* outbursts on *CBG's* editorial pages, would also like such a book.]

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• John Byrne's revamping of Superman was criticized by Elliot Maggin in the June *Business NH*, a New Hampshire magazine. Maggin wrote Superman stories for 15 years, until Byrne came along. Maggin described the new Superman as "a fraud. A rusting Man of Steel who will end up in the scrap heap," and adds, "I'm not saying he shouldn't change. I'm saying *this* isn't the way. What they're doing is tailoring him to (fit a) current socio-political and socioeconomic culture. For a year, he'll sell. When sales plateau and start to drop again, then what?"

• An article on Mort Walker in the June *Ford Times* magazine includes color photos of Walker and his Stamford, Conn., home and drawings of some of his creations. Walker works in a stu-

dio once owned by Gutzon Borglum, the sculptor of Mt. Rushmore. Walker says that he never buys gags or ideas from the outside, and all of his creations are based on people he has known. Beetle Bailey is based on an old college friend. Killer was a buddy in the Army. Scabbard was Walker's infantry company commander. Flap is a composite of Bill Cosby and Flip Wilson. Fuzz "is Mort Walker himself."

Walker also produces four strips with collaborators: *Hi and Lois* with Dik Browne, *Sam and Silo* with Jerry Dumas, *Betty Boop and Felix* with four of his sons, and *Boner's Ark* with Frank Johnson. He also created *The Evermoes* drawn by Johnny Sajem. These strips make Walker "the most widely read cartoonist in history," with a worldwide readership of more than 100 million a day.

• The June 1 *San Francisco Chronicle* had a two-page article about the anti-trust suit by First Comics against Marvel Comics. Filed in February 1984, the case is expected to go to trial before the end of this year. According to the article, "Marvel is in for a rough ride, if industry opinion is any guide, for the lawsuit has found a lot of sympathy among comic book retailers, distributors, and publishers." First contends that Marvel flooded the market with new and reprint titles in the fall of 1983 in an attempt to drive the smaller independent publishers out of business. Quoted are Rick Obadiah, Gary Groth, Mike Friedrich, John Barrett, Ron Turner, Cat Yronwode, Dean Mullaney, Bill Schanes, and Tom Walton.

• The Summer *France* magazine included an article on comic books. Pictures are included and *Pilote*, *Metal Hurlant*, *L'Echo des Savanes*, and others are plugged.

• For several years, there's been talk of a *Batman* motion picture. An article in the June 2 *Logansport, Ind., Pharos-Tribune* discloses that one has already been made. A 21-year-old Ball State University student has written, directed, and played the lead role in a 45-minute *Batman* film titled "The Eyes of a Cat." Mark Racop even has his own *Batmobile*, a converted 1974 Monte Carlo. His college roommate plays Robin, and the cast of 70 includes friends, students, and a cameo appearance by the mayor. *Batman's* nemesis in the film is Catwoman.

• *USA Today* picked up on the publication of First's 176-page graphic novel *Elric of Melniboné*. The story was in the Money section June 4 and *CBG* co-editor Don Thompson is quoted as saying that *Elric* is "a USA record-holder" as far as size is concerned.

• Garry Trudeau did a six-day series of *Doonesbury* strips in June which called attention to the "incredible but true Gramm-Rudman Horror Story" of Nancy Reagan's "growing gown." The Smithsonian's National Museum of American History had disclosed that her inaugural gown on display in the museum was sagging under the weight of heavy beads and crystal sewn into the fabric. Because of budget cuts, repairs could not

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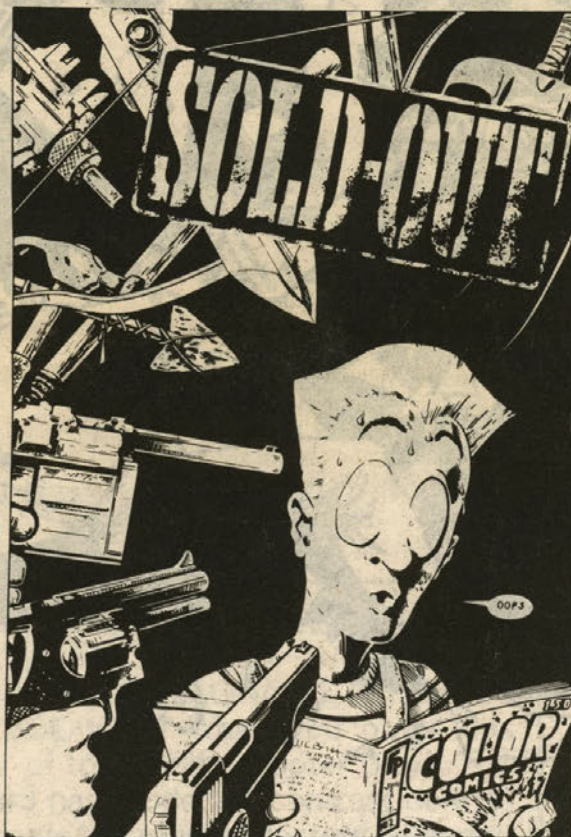
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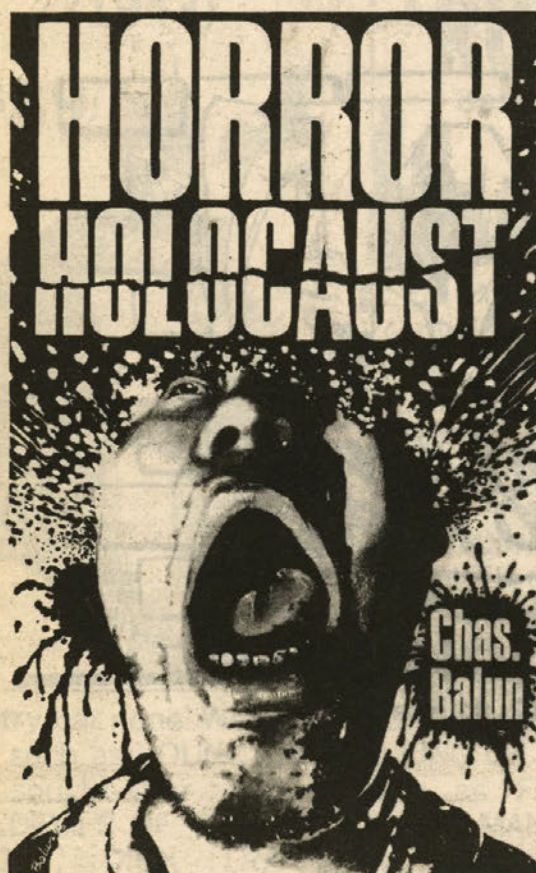
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be made, so Trudeau alerted the public to the impending disaster. He gave an address where donations could be sent and, according to news stories in the June 5 *Los Angeles Daily News* and the June 22 *Pittsburgh Press*, thousands of dollars were pouring in.

• Animator Chuck Jones was the subject of an article in the June 6 *Milwaukee Journal*. He was in the area in connection with the stage show "Bugs Goin' Hollywood" at Six Flags Great America park in Gurnee, Ill. Jones tells the history of his work and creations and gives his opinions on the animation industry today.

• A few weeks back, I referred to Frank Frazetta's donation of the copying rights to his "Death Dealer" painting to an Army unit in Fort Hood, Texas. According to an item in the June 9 *Austin American-Statesman*, Pentagon officials didn't approve of the name of the painting, so Frazetta changed it to "Phantom Warrior." Some might find it ironic that the Pentagon disapproves of the word "death."

• An Associated Press story in mid-June reports the existence of "Loonies," an informal group of San Francisco-area artists, humorists, and cartoonists who meet several times a year at a local pizza shop. Meetings aver-

age about 100 people. Portfolios and works-in-progress are passed around for evaluation and criticism. The group was founded by Barry Gantt in 1978, and members include Roger May, Trina Robbins, and many SF and underground artists.

• On June 16 *USA Today* reports that "there's more Popeye activity now than at any time since he made his debut in Elzie Segar's *Thimble Theater* comic strip 57 years ago." Popeye appears in a new T-shirt design, is featured in a line of plush toys from Tomy, and, with Olive Oyl, Brutus, and cast appear on children's clothing, women's sleepwear, and other apparel. Life-size renditions mingle with crowds at the Santa Cruz Beach Boardwalk amusement park in California.

• The June 16 *Time* was a special issue devoted to "America's Best." It contains references to Krazy Kat, Superman, Garfield, Batman, Chuck Jones, and R. Crumb.

• The June 18 *New York Daily News* reported that Marlon Brando "is on the brink of signing" to portray The Red Skull in a *Captain America* movie. The role will not be a cameo, according to "an inside source," and producers are willing to shell out \$15-20 million for Brando.

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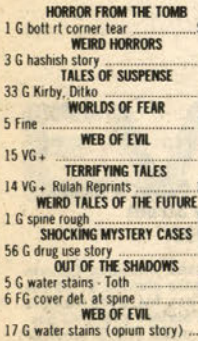
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Comics covers filled with fish (Doodah! Doodah!)

By John Lustig

First there was *Secret Wars*. Then *Secret Wars II* and *Crisis on Infinite Earths*. Now, *The Infinite Fish Covers*.

If this sounds like some kind of farce, you're right. It's another inside joke from the mischievous mind of writer Mark Evanier.

"Len Wein was staying at my house in August and we were discussing the fact that there aren't enough fish on the covers of comics," Evanier said. "I don't know quite how we got on the subject of this — but I said we ought to declare a month National Fish Month and get everybody in comics to put a fish on the cover of their comics that month."

"It seemed so hysterically funny. We were calling up everybody we knew in the business and asking them to put fish on the covers of their comics."

"And, of course, everybody did it except Len and me."

(Actually, Evanier did get "eight million fish" on the cover of one of the comics he does, *Groo the Wanderer* #17.)

The impact of National Fish Month was cushioned by the fact that the various fish covers

came out in a period of more than a month and because there were only about 15 comics books involved.

"What we were really hoping," Evanier said, "was that kids would be going to their comic books shops and they would say, 'Excuse me, but why are there fish on all the comics?'"

If you decide to collect this unofficial mini-series, be warned that some are harder to recognize than others. The cover of *Timespirits* #8 clearly shows a fish — wearing a straw hat and carrying a cane — strutting his stuff. But if you want to find a fish on the cover of *Batman* #395, you have to examine the markings on the gun pointed at The Batman.

Fish can be found on the covers of recent issues of *Seduction of the Innocent*, *The Legion of Super-Heroes*, and — but that would be telling. Discover them for yourself. That's half the fun. It'll be good training for the next inside joke Evanier has whipped up: *The Crisis of Infinite Doodahs*.

"One time Marv Wolfman and I were going through the Las Vegas airport together and we heard paged over the loud

speaker: 'Will Bill and Tony Doodah please pick up the white courtesy phone?' So I turned to Marv and said, 'Oh, the Doodah brothers are here.'

"Marv laughed all the way down the moving walkway — for about six blocks."

"So we put that into *The New Teen Titans* and *DNAgents* in upcoming issues. Anytime anyone is in an airport, he'll hear Bill and Tony Doodah paged. Last week we had dinner with Chris Claremont — so I think it's in all our books that go on sale in July or August: *DNAgents*, *X-Men*, and *Teen Titans*. The characters will be in airports or something like that and they'll all hear Bill and Tony Doodah paged."

Flashback: 40 years ago

Black Hood Comics becomes *Laugh Comics* starring Archie and the gang, beginning with #20, Fall 1946.

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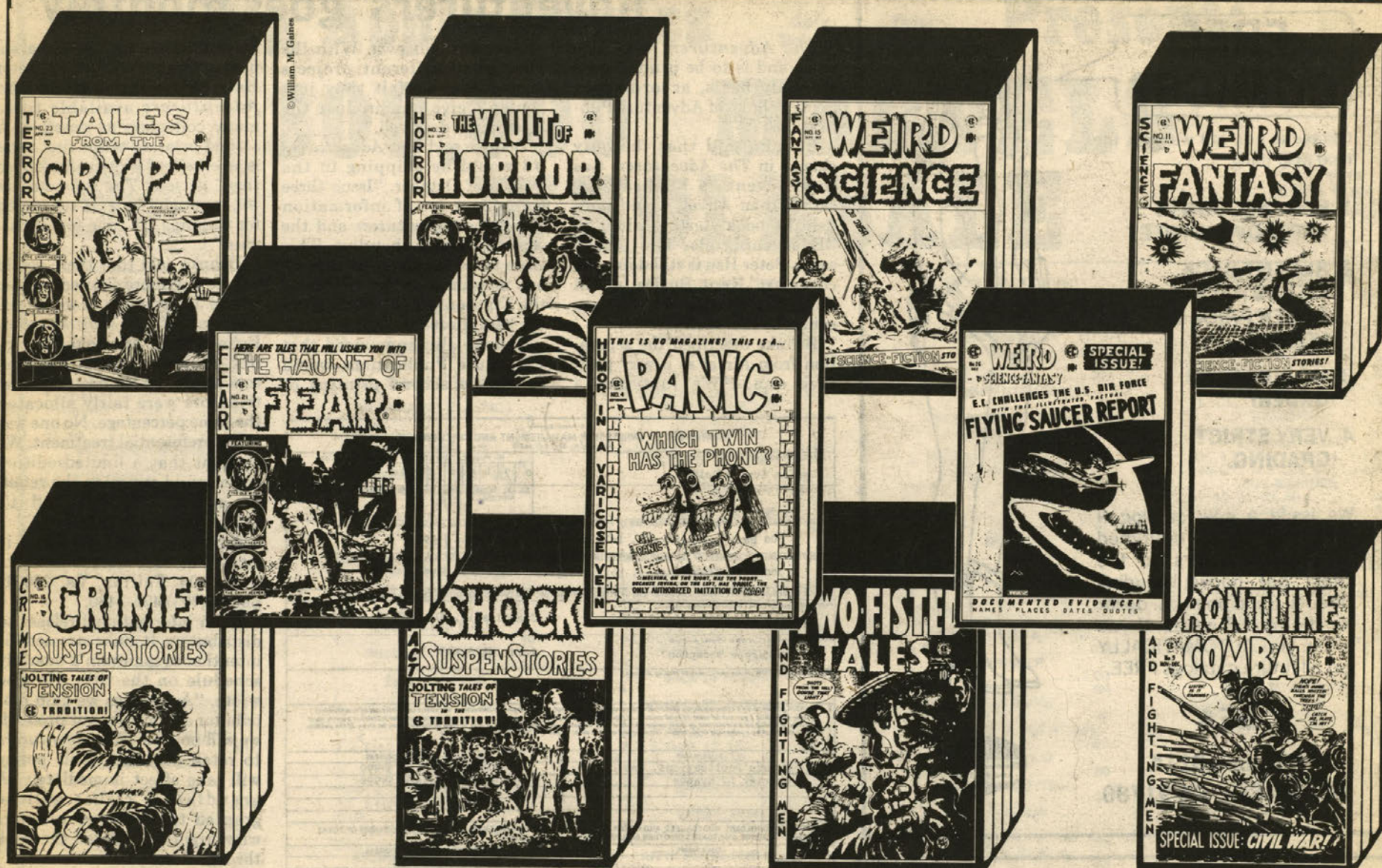
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Behnke said that the only change in *The Adventurers* was that Adventure Publications, rather than Aircel, would publish the book starting with #3. "Everything else is still the same. Peter Hsu is still doing the cover art, Kent Burles is still doing the interior; we are even using the same printer."

Behnke described the separation from Aircel as a very positive one. "We just had a

direction of our own. With the number of different projects Aircel has, we felt they just couldn't give our product the attention it deserved."

Behnke said that *Adventurers* #3 would be shipping in the middle of October. "Issue three contains a lot of information about the *Adventurers* and the world in which they live. This issue takes the party on a perilous mission into the citadel of the Crimson Giants. We feel it's our best effort to date."

Behnke also announced that Adventure Publications would produce a second printing of

issue #1. The new #1 will have a new cover and new art by Peter Hsu. "We want to make *The Adventurers* available to as many collectors as possible. A second printing of the first issue is an excellent way to accomplish this," he said. *The Adventurers* #0, an origin issue, is scheduled for shipping "in time for Christmas."

Behnke said that there would not be any more limited-edition covers. Responding to some criticism about the limited cover, Behnke said, "We sold the limited-edition covers to distributors at wholesale cost. All distributors were fairly allocated the same percentage. No one was given preferential treatment. We thought that a limited-edition cover would appeal to the retailers and the collectors. All it's created is one big headache."

Adventure Publications is located at 3940 Persimmon Dr., Suite 104, Fairfax, Va. 22031, phone (703) 425-1480.

In an informational release to distributors, Behnke stressed his intention to maintain a monthly schedule on the title. He also wrote, "As long as we gain distributor support for our product, we will not sell *The Adventurers* to retail accounts. This policy will take effect immediately. A grandfather clause will be granted to those few retailers who originally ordered the book through Aircel."

He announced the intention to overprint by "a minor 10%" and announced he would experiment with a co-op plan for distributors.

Under the heading "Limited Edition Covers," he wrote, "There will be no more limited edition covers!"

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Back issue bonanzas

How to get 300 mint early Marvel titles at \$3 each

By Richard Gagnon

I am baffled by collectors who pay outrageous sums of money for comics which are not even a month old. Any new comic which shows the slightest sign of being a fan favorite immediately has its price jacked up. I would like to suggest an alternative.

Why pay exorbitant prices for new comics when there are many older comics which can be bought for less than the price of some of these supposedly hot comics?

Despite Marvel's pre-eminence in the field, almost nobody is buying the older Marvel back issues. Maybe nobody realizes how cheap some of the earlier issues are. There are roughly 300 Marvel comics, all featuring characters still popular today, which can be bought in mint condition for \$3 or less. My advice is not to buy them in mint condition — pick them up in good-to-very-good condition and they won't cost more than a new 75c comic.

That's not bad for a 20-year-old comic featuring the writing and art of early Marvel's most titanic talent. It was Stan Lee, Jack Kirby, and Steve Ditko, along with other bullpeners, who made Marvel Comics the success it is today. Kirby and Ditko still draw comics but, while their current work is competent, it is nothing compared to the thrilling stuff they were regularly producing 20 years ago at the peak of their abilities. Stan Lee has written only a handful of comic books in the last decade so that there is little work for new fans to judge him upon. Today's fans haven't read the comics that Stan wrote in the '60s and don't realize how

good they were.

On older comics, one can either buy the actual comic or buy reprints. For some reason, reprints have become fashionable today in expensive formats. Nobody seems to compare the high-priced Baxter paper reprints with the original comics. Everybody assumes that the high quality paper and printing processes guarantee a product that is not only equal to the original, but superior. I've compared the two and the high-priced reprint does not pick up all the delicate artwork that is clear on the original comic. All the nice glossy paper and inks are wasted on a product that is inferior to the original.

What's worse is that most of the expensive reprints have been of comics which are less than a dozen years old. DC's recent *Shadow of The Batman* reprint cost \$2 an issue while the *Detective Comics* issues being reprinted are only \$4 in mint condition and 70¢ in good condition. The reprint may contain two issues, but still costs more than two originals in good condition. There are a lot of mint fetishists who would prefer a mint reprint to an original in good condition, but that's like preferring a new copy of a Rembrandt to one which has weathered over the years. I'd take an original over a reprint any day, but some comics have become too expensive to purchase in any fashion other than as a reprint.

Unfortunately, neither Marvel nor DC is making much effort to reprint their earliest comics; they are concentrating on recent fan favorites. There are two excellent Marvel reprint titles which feature the very earliest

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Or try *Marvel Tales* #6, which reprints *Amazing Spider-Man*

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Between *Marvel Tales* and *Marvel Collectors' Item Clas-*

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By Paul Curtis

Hey Ho! Here's another bunch of goodies I found in the mail. I'll try to cover them as briefly as possible so's to jam in a lot of fun stuff.

Spatter is a big b&w magazine with a sampling of work by British Columbian cartoonists. Unusual for magazines which try to display work by "area artists," this is almost entirely entertaining, which is to say I'd be wanting to buy a copy even if I hadn't got freebies. I particularly enjoyed work by Greg Holfield and Theresa Henry, and will watch for their names on other products. Please try the third issue, only 50¢, postpaid, from Spatter Publications, 4080 Garden City Rd., Richmond, B.C., Canada V6X 2K1.

Speaking of stuff I'd pay for, I was afraid I'd have to pay for the latest WLH publications, but I met the guys in Chicago and

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That's it for this crop of freebies—mostly handed-to-me-at-Chicago. Back to the mailbox next time (which is what I thought I'd be doing this time, come to think of it) and if you want to be a part of this wonderful jumble just write to Paul Curtis, RD #2, Saegertown, Penna. 16433.

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MIDDLE ATLANTIC

STATES IN REGION: Del., Md., N.C., S.C., Va., W. Va. and Wash. D.C.

CHARLOTTE, NC - Sept. 27 - Comics Festival, Holiday Inn, 212 E. Woodlawn Dr., A: \$1. F: \$35. Bob or Clifford Smith, 1500 Central Ave., Charlotte, NC 28205. PH: 704-333-5592.**WHEELING, WV** - Sept. 28 - Comic Book Show, McClure Hotel, 1200 Market St., 10am-4pm, A: \$1.50. T: 25. F: \$25. Freebird, Comics & Conventions, PO Box 10071, Erie, PA 16514. PH: 814-456-6051.**WASHINGTON, DC** - Sept. 28 - Serendipity Show, Holiday Inn-Chevy Chase, 5520 Wisconsin Ave., 11am-5pm, A: \$2. T: 30. F: \$40. Bob Horn, 4 Oak Rd., Elkton, MD 21921. PH: 301-398-6685.**DURHAM, NC** - Oct. 5 - Jubilee Comic Book & Science Fiction Convention (C, SF), Holiday Inn, 3460 Hillsboro Rd., 10am-4pm, F: \$35. Jubilee Enter., 11910 Asbury Dr., Ft. Washington, MD 20744. PH: 301-292-4587.**SALEM, VA** - Oct. 10-12 - RoVaCon, Salem High School, A: \$15. children \$5. ROVACON II, PO Box 117, Salem, VA 24153. PH: 703-389-9400.**SPARTANBURG, SC** - Oct. 11 - 3rd Annual SpartaCon, Holiday Inn, I-26 & I-85, 10am-5pm, A: n/a. D.W. Howard, Super Giant Books, 35 Wall St., Asheville, NC 28801. PH: 704-254-2103.**COLUMBIA, SC** - Oct. 18 - Comics Festival, Holiday Inn Civic Center, 630 Assembly St., A: \$1. F: \$35. Bob or Clifford Smith, Comics Nuff Said, 1500 Central Ave., Charlotte, NC 28205. PH: 704-333-5592.**SILVER SPRING, MD** - Oct. 25 - Jubilee Comic Book & Science Fiction Convention (C, SF), Armory Place, 925 Wayne Ave., 9am-4pm, F: \$40. Jubilee Enter., 11910 Asbury Dr., Ft. Washington, MD 20744. PH: 301-292-4587.**ROANOKE, VA** - Nov. 2 - Jubilee Comic Book & Science Fiction Convention (C, SF), Hotel Roanoke, 19 N. Jefferson St., 10am-4pm, F: \$35. Jubilee Enter., 11910 Asbury Dr., Ft. Washington, MD 20744. PH: 301-292-4587.**WASHINGTON, DC** - Nov. 2 - Serendipity Show, Holiday Inn-Chevy Chase, 5520 Wisconsin Ave., 11am-5pm, A: \$2. T: 30. F: \$40. Bob Horn, 4 Oak Rd., Elkton, MD 21921. PH: 301-398-6685.**VIRGINIA BEACH, VA** - Nov. 7-9 - Sci Con 8 (SF), Sheraton Beach Inn, A: \$18. F: \$50. Sci Con 8, PO Box 9434, Hampton, VA 23670.**FAYETTEVILLE, NC** - Nov. 9 - Jubilee Comic Book & Science Fiction Convention (C, SF), Holiday Inn, I-95 & Cedar Creek Rd., 10am-4pm, F: \$35. Jubilee Enter., 11910 Asbury Dr., Ft. Washington, MD 20744. PH: 301-292-4587.**BALTIMORE, MD** - Nov. 9 - Serendipity Show, Quality Inn, Beltway exit 26 S., A: \$2. T: 30. F: \$40. Bob Horn, 4 Oak Rd., Elkton, MD 21921. PH: 301-398-6685.**ARLINGTON, VA** - Nov. 15 - Jubilee Comic Book & Science Fiction Convention (C, SF), Holiday Inn, 1489 Jefferson Davis Hwy., Rt. 1, 10am-5pm, F: \$40. Jubilee Enter., 11910 Asbury Dr., Ft. Washington, MD 20744. PH: 301-292-4587.

MOUNTAIN

STATES IN REGION: Ariz., Colo., Idaho, Mont., Nev., N.M., Utah and Wyo.

AURORA, CO - Nov. 1-2 - AuroraCon, Holiday Inn, I-225 Colfax exit, A: \$2. F: \$15. Chester Co., 2094 Emporia, Aurora, CO 80010. PH: 303-363-7457 before Oct. 1.

NEW ENGLAND

STATES IN REGION: Conn., Maine, Mass., N.H., R.I. and Vt.

BURLINGTON, VT - Sept. 28 - Green Mtn. Comicon I (C), Holiday Inn, I-89 exit 14 East, 10am-6pm, A: \$5. Green Mtn. Comicon, 11 Wealthy Ave., S. Burlington, VT 05401. PH: 802-658-5718.**PORTLAND, ME** - Oct. 5 - Maine Comic Con II, Verillo's Convention Center, I-95 exit 8, A: \$3. T: 65. F: \$40. Pendragon Ent. Inc., 135 Main St., Lewiston, ME 04240. PH: 207-784-3067.**BOSTON, MA** - Oct. 5 - Comic & Card Spectacular, Dedham Holiday Inn, 11am-5pm, A: \$2. T: 120. F: \$35. Ted Hanes, 20 Burke Dr., Buffalo, NY 14215. PH: 716-835-1483.**E. HARTFORD, CT** - Oct. 12 - Connecti-Con (C), E.H. Elks Hall, 148 Roberts St., 11am-5pm, A: 99¢. Harold E. Kinney, 206 Burnside Ave., E. Hartford, CT 06108. PH: 203-289-1208.**ROCKY HILL, CT** - Oct. 12 - Baseball Card &

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Comic Book Show, Elks Club, Silas Dean

Hwy., A: \$2. under 12 \$1. PH: 933-3489.

MEDFORD, MA - Oct. 16-19 - Collectibles Show, Meadow Glen Mall, Rt. 16, A: free. Joe Valardi, PO Box 742, Gardner, MA 01440. PH: 617-632-6479.**BOSTON, MA** - Oct. 19 - Creation's Free Marketplace (C, ST, DW, R), Howard Johnson's, Cambridge, 777 Memorial Dr., F: \$65. Creation, 249-04 Hillside Ave., Bellerose, NY 11426.**WINDSOR LOCKS, CT** - Oct. 26 - Comic Book, Gum Card & Record Collectors' Convention, Howard Johnson's Conference Center, I-92 exit 41, A: 90¢. T: 60. F: \$25. Al. PH: 203-528-5630 or Jeff. PH: 203-683-1238.**SOMERVILLE, MA** - Oct. 26 - The Sunday Funnies, Holiday Inn, 30 Washington St., 10am-5pm, A: \$2.50. T: 60. F: \$35. Will Murray, 334 E. Squantum St., Quincy, MA 02271. PH: 617-328-9460.**WETHERSFIELD, CT** - Nov. 15-16 - Connection 10, Ramada Inn, 1330 Silas Deane Hwy., A: \$4.50. F: \$65. Bookie's Book Store, 206 Burnside Ave., E. Hartford, CT 06108. PH: 203-289-1208.

NORTHEAST

STATES IN REGION: N.J., N.Y. and Pa.

TOMS RIVER, NJ - Sept. 27 - Comic Book, Toy & Card Show, VFW Post 6063, Horner Ct. & Washington St., 10am-4:30pm, A: 75¢. F: \$15. Ruth Campbell, 827 Prospect Ave., Pine Beach, NJ 08741. PH: 201-244-2923.**PITTSBURGH, PA** - Sept. 27 - Comic Book Show, Sheraton South Hills, Ft. Couch Rd., A: n/a. T: 30. F: \$20.**HAZLET, NJ** - Sept. 28 - Comic Book & Baseball Card Show, Sheraton Inn, Rt. 35 S., Garden State Pkwy. exit 117, 9:30am-4pm, A: \$1.50. Mike Grecco, PO Box 189, Atlantic Highlands, NJ 07716. PH: 201-291-1632.**ROCHESTER, NY** - Sept. 28 - The Big 100 Show, Marriott Hotel, 5257 W. Henrietta Rd., 11am-4pm, A: \$2. T: 100. F: \$45. Ted Hanes, 20 Burke Dr., Buffalo, NY 14215. PH: 716-835-1483.**NEW YORK, NY** - Sept. 28 - Comic Book Marketplace, Skyline Motor Inn, 10th Ave. & 49th, 10am-4pm, A: \$2. Fred Greenberg, 373 Vail Rd., Parsippany, NJ 07054. PH: 201-335-1849.**WAYNE, NJ** - Oct. 4 - Comic Book Marketplace, Holiday Inn, Rt. 46 E., 10am-4pm, A: \$2. Fred Greenberg, 373 Vail Rd., Parsippany, NJ 07054. PH: 201-335-1849.**BUFFALO, NY** - Oct. 5 - The Big One, Marriott Hotel, A: n/a. Magnum Enter., 20 Burke Dr., Buffalo, NY 14215. PH: 716-835-1483 after 6pm.**EAST MEADOW, NY** - Oct. 5 - Long Island Monthly Comic Book & Baseball Card Show (C, Cd), Coliseum Motor Inn, 1650 Hempstead Turnpike, A: free. Starwind Comics, PH: 516-579-7656.**WHITE PLAINS, NY** - Oct. 11 - Comic Convention, Coachman's Inn, 123 E. Post Rd., 11am-4pm, A: \$2. T: 25. Ted Hanes, 20 Burke Dr., Buffalo, NY 14215. PH: 716-835-1483.**SEASIDE HEIGHTS, NJ** - Oct. 11 - Science Fiction, Comic Book & Trading Card Show, American Legion Post, Carteret Ave. & Bay Blvd., 9:30am-4pm, A: 75¢. F: \$25. Ruth Campbell, 827 Prospect Ave., Pine Beach, NJ 08741. PH: 201-244-2923.**ROCKVILLE CENTRE, NY** - Oct. 12 - Long Island Comic Book & Collectors Market Convention, Holiday Inn, 173 Sunrise Hwy., 10am-5pm, A: free. Cosmic Comics, 139 N. Park Ave., Rockville Centre, NY 11570. PH: 516-763-1133.**UNION, NJ** - Oct. 12 - Comic Book & Baseball Card Show, Boys & Girls Club, 1050 Jeanette St., 9am-3:30pm, A: \$1.50. F: \$35. Mike Grecco, PO Box 189, Atlantic Highlands, NJ 07716. PH: 201-291-1632.**SOMERSET, NJ** - Oct. 12 - Comic Book Marketplace, Travelodge, Easton Ave., Rt. 287 exit 6, 10am-4pm, A: \$2. Fred Greenberg, 373 Vail Rd., Parsippany, NJ 07054. PH: 201-335-1849.**PHILADELPHIA, PA** - Oct. 12 - Serendipity Show, Holiday Inn-Valley Forge, King of Prussia Mall, 11am-5pm, A: \$2. T: 30. F: \$40. Bob Horn, 4 Oak Rd., Elkton, MD 21921. PH: 301-398-6685.**MORRISTOWN, NJ** - Oct. 18-19 - Collectors Festival (C, Cd, R), Headquarters Plaza Mall, Sat. 10am-5pm, Sun. 10am-4pm, A: n

a. F: \$50-\$80. Mike Grecco, PO Box 189, Atlantic Highlands, NJ 07716. PH: 201-291-1632.

MONROEVILLE, PA - Oct. 18 - Jubilee Comic Book & Science Fiction Convention (C, SF), Holiday Inn, 2750 Mossdale Blvd., 10am-4pm, F: \$35. Jubilee Enter., 11910 Asbury Dr., Ft. Washington, MD 20744. PH: 301-292-4587.**PHILADELPHIA, PA** - Oct. 18-19 - Creation's Robotech Convention, George Washington Hotel, Rt. 202 S. & Warner Rd., A: \$10. \$7 children, F: \$125. Creation, 249-04 Hillside Ave., Bellerose, NY 11426.**WOODBURGE, NJ** - Oct. 18 - Comic Collectors Convention (C, R, Cd), Budget Motor Lodge, 350 Rt. 9 N., A: \$2. Fred Greenberg, 373 Vail Rd., Parsippany, NJ 07054. PH: 201-335-1849.**NEW YORK, NY** - Oct. 19 - Comic Book Marketplace, Roosevelt Hotel, 45 E. 45th St. & Madison Ave., 10am-4pm, A: \$2. Fred Greenberg, 373 Vail Rd., Parsippany, NJ 07054. PH: 201-335-1849.**MOUNT LAUREL, NJ** - Oct. 19 - Comic Book Marketplace, Budget Motor Lodge, Rt. 73 & Fellowship Rd., 10am-4pm, A: \$2. Fred Greenberg, 373 Vail Rd., Parsippany, NJ 07054. PH: 201-335-1849.**TOMS RIVER, NJ** - Oct. 25 - Science Fiction, Comic Book Trading Card Show, VFW Post, Horner Court & Washington St., 10am-4:30pm, A: 75¢. F: \$15. Ruth Campbell, 827 Prospect Ave., Pine Beach, NJ 08741. PH: 201-244-2923.**OLEAN, NY** - Oct. 25 - Comic Book & Baseball Card Show, Quality Inn, F: \$59. Ted Hanes, 20 Burke Dr., Buffalo, NY 14215. PH: 716-835-1483 after 6pm.**NEW YORK, NY** - Oct. 25 - Comic Book Marketplace, Skyline Motor Inn, 10th Ave. & 49th, 10am-4pm, A: \$2. Fred Greenberg, 373 Vail Rd., Parsippany, NJ 07054. PH: 201-335-1849.**BINGHAMTON, NY** - Oct. 26 - Comic Books & Baseball Cards, American Legion Post, F: 3/59. Ted Hanes, 20 Burke Dr., Buffalo, NY 14215. PH: 716-835-1483 after 6pm.**JERSEY CITY, NJ** - Oct. 26 - Baseball Spectacular & Comic Book Show, St. Peter's College, Kennedy Blvd & Montgomery St., A: \$2. under 12 \$1. Harry Zucker, 201 St. Paul's Ave., Jersey, NJ 07306. PH: 201-656-0659.**YORK, PA** - Oct. 31-Nov. 2 - Novacon IV, Yorktown Hotel, A: \$15. F: \$20. Novacon IV, PO Box 41, Marietta, PA 15747.**ALLENTOWN, PA** - Nov. 1-2 - Paper Collectibles Show, Outlet Mall, 1901 S. 12th St., A: n/a.**SCRANTON, PA** - Nov. 1 - Star Trek Part 2, Masonic Temple, 420 N. Washington Ave., A: \$12.**PARAMUS, NJ** - Nov. 1 - Comic Book Marketplace, Treadway Inn, 601 From Rd., 10am-4pm, A: \$2. Fred Greenberg, 373 Vail Rd., Parsippany, NJ 07054. PH: 201-335-1849.**HAUPPAUGE, NY** - Nov. 2 - Island Card n' Comics Show, Colonial Hill, LIE Exit 57, A: 50¢. Dennis, PH: 516-724-7422 6-7pm daily.**UNION, NJ** - Nov. 2 - Comic Book & Baseball Card Show, Boys & Girls Club, 1050 Jeanette St., 9am-3:30pm, A: \$1.50. F: \$35. Mike Grecco, PO Box 189, Atlantic Highlands, NJ 07716. PH: 201-291-1632.**ERIE, PA** - Nov. 2 - Comic Book, Cards & Star Trek Convention, Hilton Hotel, 10th & Peach St., 10am-4pm, A: \$3.50. T: 55. F: \$35. Freebird, Comics & Conventions, PO Box 10071, Erie, PA 16514. PH: 814-456-6051.**PARAMUS, NJ** - Nov. 2 - Comic Book Marketplace, Treadway Inn, From Rd., Garden St. Pkwy. exit 165, 10am-4pm, A: \$2. Fred Greenberg, 373 Vail Rd., Parsippany, NJ 07054. PH: 201-335-1849.**EAST MEADOW, NY** - Nov. 2 - Long Island Monthly Comic Book & Baseball Card Show (C, Cd), Coliseum Motor Inn, 1650 Hempstead Turnpike, A: free. Starwind Comics, PH: 516-579-7656.**ALBANY, NY** - Nov. 8-9 - Comic Fandom Con, Holiday Inn, 1614 Central Ave., 11am-5pm, A: \$3.50. T: 30. F: \$69. Ted Hanes, 20 Burke Dr., Buffalo, NY 14215. PH: 716-835-1483.**MANAHAWKIN, NJ** - Nov. 8 - Comic Book Show, Beach Haven Moose Lodge, Rt. 72, A: 41. T: 20. F: \$30. Diane M. Sonnenberg, 337 Anthony Ave., Toms River, NJ 08753. PH: 201-929-0663.**COLONIE, NY** - Nov. 8-9 - Comic Book Show, Holiday Inn, Rt. 5, 11am-5pm. John S. Iavarone, 44 Jefferson Rd., Glenmont, NY 12077. PH: 518-439-0963.**ROCKVILLE CENTRE, NY** - Nov. 9 - Long Island Comic Book & Collectors Market Convention, Holiday Inn, 173 Sunrise Hwy., 10am-5pm, A: free. Cosmic Comics, 139 N. Park Ave., Rockville Centre, NY 11570. PH: 516-763-1133.**ROBBINSVILLE, NJ** - Nov. 9 - Central NJ Comic Book, Baseball Card & Record Show, Washington Twp. Volunteer Fire Dept. Hall, Rt. 130, A: \$2. F: \$30. Michael Chaudhuri, 15 Westerlea Arms #6, Hightstown, NJ 08520. PH: 609-448-7585.**SPRINGFIELD, NJ** - Nov. 9 - Comic Book Marketplace, Holiday Inn, 304 Rt. 22 W., 10am-4pm, A: \$2. Fred Greenberg, 373 Vail Rd., Parsippany, NJ 07054. PH: 201-335-1849.**NEW YORK, NY** - Nov. 15 - Comic Book Marketplace, Skyline Motor Inn, 10th Ave. & 49th, 10am-4pm, A: \$2. Fred Greenberg, 373 Vail Rd., Parsippany, NJ 07054. PH: 201-335-1849.**HAZLET, NJ** - Nov. 16 - Comic Book & Baseball Card Show, Sheraton Inn, Rt. 35 S., Garden State Pkwy. exit 117, 9:30am-4pm, A: \$1.50. Mike Grecco, PO Box 189, Atlantic Highlands, NJ 07716. PH: 201-291-1632.**HARRISBURG, PA** - Nov. 16 - Jubilee Comic Book & Science Fiction Convention (C, SF), Villa Loe (Quality Inn), I-83 exit 18, New Cumberland, F: \$35. Jubilee Enter., 11910 Asbury Dr., Ft. Washington, MD 20744. PH:

301-292-4587.

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PACIFIC

STATES IN REGION: Alaska, Calif., Hawaii, Ore. and Wash.

LOS ANGELES, CA - Sept. 27-28 - Star Trek Convention, Hyatt LAX, 6225 W. Century Blvd., A: \$20. F: \$200. Creation, 249-04 Hillside Ave., Bellerose, NY 11426.**SAN JOSE, CA** - Sept. 28 - American Comic Convention, LeBaron Hotel, 1350 N. First St., 11am-7pm, A: \$5. T: 88. F: \$50. Don Vado, PO Box 6993, San Jose, CA 95150. PH: 408-279-8070.**N. HOLLYWOOD, CA** - Oct. 4 - San Fernando Valley Comic Book Convention #8, LA Science Fantasy Soc., 11513 Burbank Blvd., A: \$2. Rob. PH: 818-792-5667 or 213-426-0393.**LOS ANGELES, CA** - Oct. 5 - Comic Book & Science Fiction Convention (C, SF), Ambassador Hotel, 3400 Wilshire Blvd., 10am-5pm, A: \$1.50. Bruce Schwartz, 1802 W. Olive Ave., Burbank, CA 91506. PH: 818-954-8432.**ANAHEIM, CA** - Oct. 26 - Orange Cty. Comic Book & Paper Collectibles Show, Grand Hotel, Freedman Way & Harbor Blvd., A: \$3. Doug Wright, PO Box 69308, W. Hollywood, CA 90069. PH: 213-656-5470.**LOS ANGELES, CA** - Nov. 2 - Comic Book & Science Fiction Convention (C, SF), Ambassador Hotel, 3400 Wilshire Blvd., 10am-5pm, A: \$1.50. Bruce Schwartz, 1802 W. Olive Ave., Burbank, CA 91506. PH: 818-954-8432.

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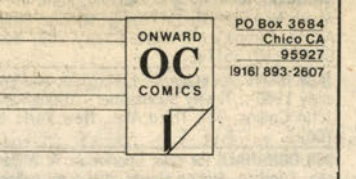
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With the latter reason in mind, the sponsor of a small-town softball team that had a 1-13 record in 1985, has issued a set of 25 cards memorializing a squad that lost by scores like 29-1 and 27-3. Their lone win was by an 8-7 score.

The fact that the sponsor is a publisher and baseball fan had everything to do with the creation of the cards. Denis Kitchen, president of Kitchen Sink Press, located in rural Princeton, Wis., is the fan. He is also the team's pitcher.

The card set is probably unique in the annals of baseball cards. Produced on stiff card stock, the set features players in action poses, along with biographical data, descriptions of each player's season, and a line statistic. The set also includes a card praising the team's fans, one for the league president, another for the umpire, and two

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The team is called "The Sinkers" and, in 1985, they did plenty of that. Playing their rookie season in the Princeton Men's Medium Pitch Softball League, the Sinkers fielded a squad of musicians, farmers, plumbers, teachers, antique dealers, and six employees of the publishing company.

"The team, basically, is a bunch of friends who wanted to get together on a regular basis and play for fun and fellowship," Kitchen said. "There was an opening in the league, so we decided to join. The only real expense involved was the league rule that the losing team had to buy a quarter barrel of beer after each game for both teams to share. As it turned out, we had to buy 3 1/4 kegs of beer."

An avid baseball fan since childhood, Kitchen decided early in the season that he wanted to issue a set of cards. "I had a big collection of cards when I was a kid," he said. "One of my childhood fantasies was to appear on a baseball card, with an action pose on the front, nickname, description, and statistics on the back. I never made the big leagues but, one way or another, I finally got in a position to be on that card."

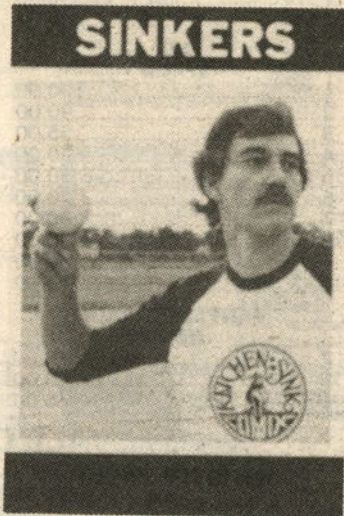
Kitchen said each of the players on the Sinkers was eager to have his own card and, while the set was in the planning stages,

he got queries about the cards from other area teams. "Every baseball fan wants his own card," Kitchen said, "and I think the desire only grows stronger as the fan gets older. There are a number of teams which have expressed serious interest in the cards, and it's something we're looking into. We publish comic books for the most part, but it might be possible to branch out."

The cards were written by Dave Schreiner, an editor and writer at Kitchen Sink Press, who was also the manager of the 1985 team. The cards all have an optimistic tone, stressing the positive contributions of each member, but also takes a tongue-in-cheek approach to the team. Schreiner, also a baseball fan, said he wrote the cards in the same spirit in which the team entered the league. For example, he describes himself as a morale booster and his card says he took all the credit for the team's one win and "blamed anybody else for the losses." His card concludes with, "Take it from me, a helluva guy."

The cards are available for \$5 per set, postpaid, from Kitchen Sink Press, No. 2 Swamp Rd., Princeton, Wis. 54968, while the supply lasts. Kitchen said that is roughly his cost.

The 1986 Sinkers improved greatly over the 1985 edition. They went 2-10.



Above left, Pitcher and Publisher Denis "Stretch" Kitchen who (it says on the back) "had the dream, paid the hefty salaries and did the pitching." Above right, team owner Steve Krupp, a figment of Kitchen's imagination and pen. Below left, Left Fielder and Art Director Pete "Brick Wall" Poplaski, whose "inspiring play in left and irrepressible high spirits helped lead the team to its impressive [one win] record." Below left, Manager, Writer, and Editor Dave ("The Griper," "Hey You") Schreiner, "only Sinker member with two (or more) nicknames; did this by writing the cards."



CBG COMICS PRICE GUIDE

PRICE GUIDE INTRODUCTION

Due to continuing interest, we now begin a weekly price guide. You will find that it has already been updated from the list which ran only one week ago. We invite comments and input from our readers. If you have information you'd like to see incorporated, let us know.

The prices given here are for near-mint comics. This is the most acceptable and general condition a collector looks for in newer comics. A near-mint copy is almost perfect — with almost no signs of wear or aging. There might be one or two tiny defects discernable only on close examination (for example, an extremely slight flaking on the spine).

AARDVARK ONE

PUMA BLUES
1 \$1.70

AARDVARK VANAHEIM

AV IN 3-D
1 \$2.00

CEREBUS
1 genuine \$325.00
1 counterfeit 50.00
2-3 150.00
4 100.00
5 75.00
6-7 50.00
8-11 40.00
12-15 30.00
16-20 25.00
21 40.00
22 15.00
23-31 8.00
32-34 3.00
35 hard to find 8.00
36-53 3.00
54-56 Wolverine 6.00
57-60 4.00
61-62 Flaming Carrot 5.00
63 Bob Burden art 5.00
64-67 4.00
68 4.00
69-87 2.00

CEREBUS JAM
1 \$2.00
FLAMING CARROT
1 \$2.00
2 12.00
3-5 8.00
6 4.00
(moved to Fantagraphics)
JOURNEY
1 \$6.00
2-4 4.00
5-14 2.00
(moved to Fantagraphics)

MS. TREE
(former Eclipse title)
10-18 \$1.70
(moved to Renegade Press)
NEIL THE HORSE
1-10 \$2.00
(moved to Renegade Press)
NORMALMAN
1 \$2.50
2-9 2.00
(moved to Renegade Press)
STRANGE BREW
1 \$3.00
SWORDS OF CEREBUS
1 (1st printing) \$12.00
1 (2nd printing) 7.00
2-4 (1st printing) 10.00
2-4 (2nd printing) 7.00
5-6 7.00

AC

AMERICOMICS
1 \$3.00
2-4 2.00
5-6 1.75
AMERICOMICS SPECIAL
1 \$1.50
BLACK DIAMOND
1-5 \$2.00
BOLT & STARFORCE SIX
1 \$1.75
BOLT SPECIAL
1 \$1.50
CAPTAIN PARAGON
1-4 \$1.50
CAPTAIN PARAGON & SENTINELS OF JUSTICE
1-4 \$1.75
COLT SPECIAL
1 \$1.50
DRAGONFLY
1 \$4.00
2-4 1.75
FAZE ONE FAZERS
1 \$5.00
2 4.00
FEMFORCE
1-5 \$1.75
FEMFORCE SPECIAL
1 \$1.50

MS. VICTORY SPECIAL
1 \$1.75
NIGHTVEIL
1-5 \$1.75
POWER PLAYS
1 \$1.75
SHADE SPECIAL
1 \$1.50
SPACE ARK
1-2 \$1.75
STAR MASTERS
1 \$1.50
STARFORCE SIX SPECIAL
1 \$1.50
VENTURE
1 \$1.75
VIC BRIDGES FAZERS SKETCHBOOK
1 \$1.75

ACE

ADVENTURES OF SPENCER SPOOK
1 \$1.95

AIRCEL

ADVENTURERS
1 regular cover \$3.00
1 skeleton cover \$25.00
DRAGONRING
1 \$4.00
2 \$2.00
ELFLORD
1 \$35.00
2 18.00
3-4 8.00
5-8 \$1.70
ELFLORD (color)
1 \$2.00
SAMURAI
1 (1st printing) \$25.00
1 (2nd printing) 10.00
1 (3rd printing) 3.00
2 10.00
3-4 5.00
5-8 1.50
STARK: FUTURE
1 \$3.00
2-3 1.70

ANTARCTIC

EXTREMELY SILLY
1 \$5.00
MANGAZINE
1 \$10.00
1 (2nd printing) 1.50
2 7.00
3 1.50

APPLE

FANTASCI
(former WarP title)
3 \$1.50
MYTH ADVENTURES
(former WarP title)
11 \$1.50
THUNDERBUNNY
(former WarP title)
7 \$1.50

UNICORN ISLE
(former WarP title)
3 \$1.50

ARCHIE

BLACK HOOD
1-3 ATH/GM \$1.00
BLUE RIBBON
1-3 \$1.50
4-14 .75
COMET
1-2 CI \$1.00
FLY
1 RB \$1.25
2-6 RB/SD 1.00
7-9 .75
MANTECH ROBOT WARRIORS
1-4 .75
MIGHTY CRUSADERS
1-4 \$1.50
5-13 .75
ORIGINAL SHIELD
1 \$1.00
2-4 .75
SHIELD
1 \$1.50
2-3 .75
(becomes Steel Sterling)
STEEL STERLING
(formerly Shield)
4-7 .75
THUNDERBUNNY
1 \$1.00

ARROW

NIGHT STREETS
1 \$1.50
REALM, THE
1 \$3.00
2 8.00
3 1.50
TALES FROM ANIVERSE
1 \$5.00
2-3 1.50

ATLANTIC

MAX OF REGULATORS
1-4 \$1.00

BAM

ADAM & EVE A.D.
1-6 \$1.50

BLACKBIRD

HEROES
1 \$5.00
2 1.75

BLACK-THORNE

ADVENTURES IN THE MYSTWOOD
1 \$2.00

DICK TRACY IN 3-D
1 \$2.00
DICK TRACY MONTHLY
1-3 \$2.00
GOLDYNN 3-D
1 \$2.00
HAMSTER VICE
1-2 \$2.00
JERRY IGER'S GOLDEN FEATURES
1-3 \$2.00
LABOR FORCE
1 \$2.00
LAFFIN' GAS
1 \$2.00
MERLINREALM 3-D
1 \$2.00
NERVOUS REX
1-6 \$2.00
PRE-TEEN DIRTY-GENE KUNG-FU KANGAROOS
1 \$1.50
SALIMBA 3-D
1 \$1.50
STREET WOLF
1 \$2.00
TALES OF JACKALOPE
1-3 \$2.00
3-D HEROES
1 \$2.00
TWISTED 3-D TALES
1 \$2.50

BLUE COMET

L.I.F.E. BRIGADE
1 \$3.00

B-MOVIE

B-MOVIE PRESENTS
1-2 \$1.50

BUD PLANT

FIRST KINGDOM
1-24 \$2.00

CAPITAL

BADGER
1 \$10.00
2 7.00
3 5.00
(moved to First)
NEXUS
(1st series, b&w)
1 \$35.00
2 20.00
3 5.00
NEXUS
(2nd series, color)
1 \$5.00
2-6 3.00
(moved to First)
WHISPER
1 \$10.00
2 6.00
(moved to First)

CHANCE ENTERPRISES

COMICS INTERVIEW

DOMINO CHANCE
1 1st printing \$10.00
1 2nd printing 1.50
2-6 1.50
7-1 Gismo 15.00
8-2 Gismo 10.00
9 1.50
GIZMO
1 \$15.00
MALLIMAU
1 \$1.50
MS. QUOTED TALES
1 \$1.50

COMICO

AZ
1-2 \$2.00
ELEMENTALS
1 \$10.00
2 8.00
3 4.00
4-9 2.00
EVANGELINE
1-2 \$3.00
GRENDLE
1 MW \$30.00
2 MW 20.00
3 MW/RBY 20.00
JONNY QUEST
1 \$2.50
2-3 1.50
JUSTICE MACHINE & ELEMENTALS
1-4 \$2.00
MACROSS
1 \$10.00
(becomes Robotech the Macross Saga)
MAGE
1 \$5.00
2 4.00
3 3.00
6 Grendel 6.00
7-10 2.00
11-14 1.50
MAGEBOOK
1-2 \$8.00
NEXT MAN
1-5 \$1.50
PRIMER
1 1-Az, Skrog, Slaughterman \$5.00
2 MW, 1-Grendel 35.00
3-5 1.50
6-1 Evangeline 15.00
ROBOTECH MASTERS
1 \$2.50
2-10 1.50
ROBOTECH THE GRAPHIC NOVEL
1 \$5.95
ROBOTECH THE MACROSS SAGA (formerly Macross)
2 \$7.00
3-4 5.00
5-13 1.50
ROBOTECH THE NEW GENERATION
1 \$2.50
2-10 1.50
SKROG
1 \$2.00
SLAUGHTERMAN
1-2 \$2.00

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1-2 \$2.00

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1-8 NA \$2.95
REVENGERS FEATURING ARMOR & SILVERSTREAK
1 \$2.00
REVENGERS FEATURING MEGALITH
1-2 \$2.00
ZERO PATROL
1-2 NA \$1.50

CROWQUILL

EB'N THE RAVEN
1 \$6.00
2 3.00
(moved to Now Comics)

CUSTOM PIC

NIGHT MASTERS
1 \$3.00
2-4 1.50

DARK HORSE

BORIS THE BEAR
1 \$3.00
DARK HORSE PRESENTS
1 \$3.00

DAVID BOSWELL

REID FLEMING
1 1st printing \$10.00
1 2nd printing 5.00
(moved to Eclipse)

DC

ACTION
230-233 \$25.00
234-241 20.00
242 O.I. Brainiac 70.00
243-248 20.00
249-250 18.00

ARISTOCRATIC
XTRA-TERRESTRIAL TIME-TRAVELING THIEVES
1 \$3.50
SOUTHERN KNIGHTS (former Guild title)
8-15 \$2.00
SOUTHERN KNIGHTS GRAPHIC NOVEL
1 \$4.95

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252 O.I. Supergirl 160.00
253 Supergirl 22.00
254 Bizarro 25.00
255 1: Bizarro Lois 18.00
256-260 15.00
261 O. Streaky 16.00
262-266 12.00
267 Legion 100.00
268-275 10.00
276 Legion 35.00
277-280 10.00
281-282 9.00
283 Legion of Super Villains 12.00
284 Mon-El 12.00
285 NA, A. Legion 15.00
286 Legion of Super Villains 10.00
287 Legion 10.00
288 Mon-El 10.00
289-290 Legion 10.00
291 NA 8.00
292 Superhorse 9.00
293 O. Superhorse 10.00
294-299 6.00
300 Anniversary issue 11.00
301-308 5.00
309 NA, Legion 6.00
310-333 5.00
334 O. Supergirl, giant 7.50
335-340 3.50
341-346 5.00
347 Supergirl 6.00
348-359 3.00
360 Supergirl, giant 6.00
361-372 2.00
373 NA, giant, Supergirl 4.00
374-388 1.50
389-423 1.25
424 CS/MA/DG, GA 1.50
425 CS/MA/NA/DG 3.00
426-436 1.00
437 CI, GA, 100 pgs. 1.75
438-442 CS 1.00
443 JLA, 100 pgs. 1.75
444-448 9.00
449 JK, GA 1.50
450-453 9.00
454 last Atom 1.00
455-457 9.00
458 CS/MGR GA 1.00
459-499 9.00
500 Superman's life 1.50
501-508 7.00
509 ISN 1.00
510-534 6.00
535-536 Omega Men 1.00
537-538 6.00
539 GK, Flash, Atom 1.50
540-543 CS 6.00
544 45th anniv. 1.50
545-550 6.00
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375 NA, 1: Quantum Queen 5.50
376-380 Legion 4.00
381 Supergirl begins 2.25
382-389 2.25
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391-400 2.25
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411-415 1.25
416 all-women issue 1.75
417 Frazetta art 1.75
418-419 Black Canary 1.00
420-424 5.00
425 O. Capt. Fear 2.00
426-430 5.00
431 JA/ATH, Spectre 1.00
432-458 5.00
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461 JA/DN/ISA, D-JSA 1.50
462 JSA/IL/DG, D-E 2 Bat-man 1.50
463 JSA/FMC/IL/DH 1.25
464 Deadman 1.50
465-466 1.25
467-490 7.50
491 digest size begins 1.00
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3 \$175.00
5 110.00
7 84.00
8 84.00
9 84.00
10 84.00
11 50.00
12 50.00
13 50.00
14 70.00
15 50.00
18 28.00
19 28.00
20 28.00
21 12.00
22 12.00

AVENGERS NM-M

3 80.00

5 45.00
7 35.00
10 35.00

D.D. VF-NM

1 190.00
2 90.00
3 55.00
4 30.00
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ADVERTISING INFORMATION

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700 East State St.
Iola, WI 54990

Advertising Deadlines

All advertising copy must be in our offices by noon on deadline day. Early copy is appreciated.

AD DEADLINE	NO.	ISSUE	AD DEADLINE	NO.	ISSUE
Thurs. Oct. 2	675	Oct. 24	Thurs. Oct. 23	678	Nov. 14
Thurs. Oct. 9	676	Oct. 31	Thurs. Oct. 30	679	Nov. 21
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COMICS TRADER:

This is an area reserved for the "little guy" who wants no frills advertising with a price to match. \$1.00 is one of the 12 equal spaces on the Comics Trader page. These spaces can be bought in any multiple of the \$17.00 unit. We'll take the ad and handle all the production — just design your ad in an 8 x 10" space and send it with payment. Remember to keep your design simple so your ad will be readable when reduced.

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One column ads, 1-3 inches in length, must appear in the classified section. They may be placed under the various classified headings. This gives you the advantage of targeting the collectors you want to reach while standing out among the smaller word ads in classified. Rates are found on the adjacent display rate chart.

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Our "Comics Exchange" is thriving and heavily read. Base rates are 9¢ per word with discounts for multiple issues. Please print and punctuate — we are not responsible for errors due to longhand or illegible copy. See adjacent Comics Exchange chart for rates.

RETAILER DIRECTORY:

A comprehensive listing of comic shops in and around the U.S. \$2.00 a week leads buyers to your store by listing your name, address, phone number, and ten words of copy you choose. May be purchased in 26 or 52-week increments only. For more details see Retailer Directory page of this issue.

WHAT YOU SHOULD KNOW:

PAYMENT: Ads must be accompanied by payment. You may pay with a check, money order, or credit card.

CREDIT CARDS: We will accept the following credit cards: VISA, Mastercard, Mastercard II, Barclay Card, Access Card, Eurocard, Diamond Card, Union Card.

DEADLINE: For all advertising is noon, Thursday for the issue dated the Friday 22 days later.

FORMAT: The COMICS BUYER'S GUIDE uses the column inch format for advertising. Each page contains 80 column inches - 5 columns wide by 16" high. One column is 11 picas (1-13/16 inches) wide.

TYPESETTING, PICTURES, BORDERS, LOGOS are all available free along with custom layout of ads. Contact our advertising department at 715-445-2214 for details.

PROOF OF PUBLICATION: Tear sheets of new display ads are mailed each week. We regret we cannot provide this service to classified advertisers.

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ALL ADVERTISING IS SUBJECT TO THE TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF THE CURRENT COMICS BUYER'S GUIDE RATE CARD, AVAILABLE BY WRITING THE ADDRESS BELOW.

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Ask for a full advertising package before you advertise to receive complete information on contracts, discounts, and your other advertising options with CBG. **WE MUST HAVE YOUR FULL NAME, STREET ADDRESS, AND PHONE NUMBER BEFORE YOU CAN RUN ADS IN CBG. THIS APPLIES WHETHER YOU USE A P.O. BOX OR COMPANY NAME.**

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Accepted standards in the field are that dealers must state the fact when an item has been restored.

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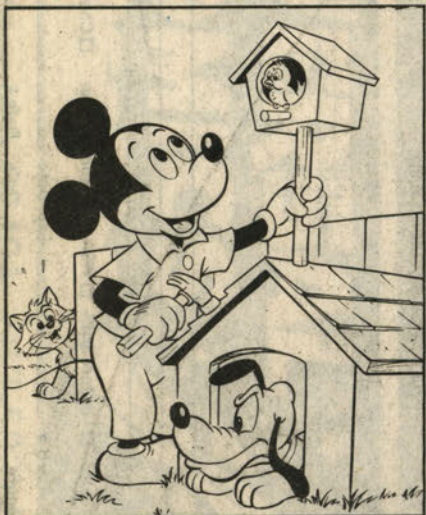


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